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Weather

Overcast, threatening weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 84.4 and the minimum 62.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 91.8 and 70.3.

The Mail Bag

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Grant, 7 a.m. today.

FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Wilson.

FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Lycaon, today.

FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Cordillere, Sept. 15.

SUGAR

Market Turns Japanese Stocks Influence Of Quake Java Price Up

THE sugar speculators in Java, a little while ago faced with colossal losses, are today breathing a little more freely. The sugar market in Cuba and Java have recovered sufficiently in the last few days to stave off the evil day for many merchants and gamblers in the commodity.

The tendency of the sugar market which was downward for some months has now taken a turn for the better and the price has been appreciating. It looks as if the decline has been arrested and an improved tone will continue. The amelioration in the situation is not prompted by any means by the serious disaster in Japan, as the majority of the sugar refining mills are situated outside of Yokohama and Tokio. They are all mostly in the neighborhood of Osaka and Kobe and the northern part of Kyushu island. In the vicinity of Tokio there are three large sugar refineries, each with a maximum capacity of 100 tons a day. The damage to the Japanese sugar refining industry is very small, but large stocks were formerly stored in these two destroyed cities.

According to returns prepared on August 15 there were 2,335,591 bales of sugar in stock in Japan, a decrease of 314,838 bales since August 1. The stock was distributed as follows: Tokio 1,147,588 bales, Osaka 780,403 bales, Nagoya 210,633 bales and Shimoneseki 196,967 bales. The effect of this obvious loss must eventually make itself felt on the sugar market of Japan as well as of the world, for besides being a large exporter of refined sugar Japan consumes a considerable quantity every year herself.

The price of Java refined sugar after touching 13 guilders is now quoted at 15 guilders for October-November delivery. Cuban sugar which had declined before to G.$4 per ton is now standing at G.$4.50 per ton. The world's sugar markets are now in a decidedly better mood and the price looks as if it will tend upwards. The impetus will probably be provided by the destruction of the two largest consuming centers in Japan, while the consumption in the United States is also increasing rapidly. Sellers are standing for higher prices. The changed condition of the foreign markets has inspired hope in the minds of the Chinese sugar merchants, who are no longer looking forward to seeing the bottom come out of the commodity market.

The Chinese dealers are anxious to make purchases. About 20,000 bags of refined Japanese sugar were contracted for last week on the basis of yen 9 per picul. The price in Japan was last quoted at yen 26.50 including Japanese duty, which is equivalent to Tls. 10 per picul. Stocks in Shanghai of sugar are some 180,000 bags.

Prior to the rise in the price of the commodity a reduction in the price of Hongkong sugar on the Shanghai market was confidently looked forward to. It is quoted at Tls. 9.80 ex-godown Shanghai, while Japanese refined sugar is Tls. 9 per picul or thereabouts, ex-godown here. Only spot cargo is sold, and the quantity in stock is sufficient for the needs of the trade, probably some 70,000 bags.

Java sugar shipments are large. The figures for August have not yet been published but those for July record an increase of 83,108 tons over the corresponding period of last year, the total for that month being 332,400 tons. Of this 184,100 tons were carried to Europe, 68,500 tons to Japan, 17,250 tons to Hongkong, 8,750 tons to Singapore, 6,000 tons to America and the rest to other countries. The aggregate total from April to July was 665,377 tons, a remarkable increase of 285,060 tons over the corresponding period of last year. Of the total tonnage 476,892 tons were carried to Europe. Every year more than 300,000 tons of sugar is exported from Java to Japan, and the Japanese bankers are therefore greatly interested in this market. It is said that the excessive speculation which merchants in Java indulged in on the Java market this spring was ascribed to the competition of the rival banks, which were afraid of checking their activity.

The European sugar market is also strong, and supplies are not too scarce. Germany continues sugar rationing, and in the Rhenish district a decrease in sugar production by 25 percent seems inevitable. Refiners in the occupied areas are relying upon central and eastern Germany for supplies of raw sugar, and agitation is rife for a reduction of raw sugar freights. From December last to June Germany imported nearly 40,000 tons, compared with 7,300 tons for the similar period last season.

WIDER APPEAL MADE FOR AID OF SUFFERERS IN QUAKE AREA

International Relief Body Calls On Entire Country

SHIPMENT TODAY

President Grant Taking Huge Lot Of Supplies

Announcement of extended relief efforts throughout China in aid of the earthquake sufferers in Japan and of further accumulation and shipment of foodstuffs and medical supplies here was made yesterday, while a huge lot of supplies and several physicians and nurses are leaving today by the Admiral Line steamer President Grant.

The International Famine Relief Commission, which proved its worth and efficiency during the last severe famine in this country, it was learned yesterday, has voted to devote its entire national organisation for the collection of funds to relieve the present distress in Japan. The announcement came through Mr. W. H. Mallory, Executive Secretary of the Commission, and it is anticipated that the confidence reposed in this organisation by the Chinese people, due to its honest administration of large sums in the past, will result in substantial returns. The following telegram has been despatched to all the organisation's committees throughout China.

CHINA-WIDE APPEAL

"In appreciation of Japan's help in the past famine and to assist in the present Japanese calamity, the Executive Committee earnestly hopes our organisation will prove itself useful, which it can do by collecting funds throughout China for a central fund under the Executive's disposal to prevent overlapping. The Executive therefore urges your committee to at once inaugurate a campaign and remit funds at the earliest possible date. Please regard this matter as urgent and call an emergency meeting if necessary. Advise progress from time to time. Mallory."

As will be seen by the lists given below, the various local relief committees are active and funds are coming in rapidly, while preparations have been made for the rapid despatch of supplies being purchased here.

The President Grant is taking nearly 5,000 tons of medical supplies, foodstuffs, etc. Her relief cargo includes 9,000 cases of milk; a half-million feet of lumber; 500 cases of cereals; 20,000 pounds of navy beans; 1,000 cases of tinned meats; 500 cases of tinned fruit; 100,000 pounds of flour; 10,000 pounds of sugar; $10,000 worth of miscellaneous surgical and medical supplies; 20,000 blankets; 1,000 piculs of

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PIRATES RAID SHIP IN SOUTH; SEIZE $20,000

China Merchants' Ship Is Victim Of Brigands Near Hongkong

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Sept. 10.—About fifty armed pirates, travelling as passengers on Saturday at midnight held up the China Merchants' steamer Hsinchang, from Canton to Hongkong. Captain Newburgh, who was surprised in his cabin, with the Chief and Second Officers and the Second Engineer were ordered into the wheel-house under an armed guard. The Chief Engineer was taken down to the engine-room.

The pirates ransacked the Hsinchang and carried off more than $20,000 in loot. They took off the ship's compradore, the tally-man and nine Chinese passengers for ransom. The pirates did not fire a single shot.

Sunken Island Rises From Sea; Volcano Active

(Exclusive China Press)

Tokio, Sept. 10.—The island and volcano of Oshima which sank into the sea in the great tidal wave and earthquake disturbances has reappeared.

The new volcano is in constant eruption, and heavy earthquake shocks are reported.

The island of Oshima was the largest of the Idzu group, lying 58 miles south of Yokihama. It was 80 miles in circumference and had a population of 50,000. According to scientists at the Imperial University, Tokio, the island was the center of the recent earthquake.

AUSTRALIA WILL TAKE REFUGEES FOR VANCOUVER

Sails From Kobe Today, Calling At Yokohama

A wireless message intercepted here yesterday carried the information that the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia, which was at Yokohama during the quake and embarked 4,000 refugees, will sail from Kobe this noon for Vancouver, carrying passengers and refugees desirous of going to the Canadian port.

The Australia will call at Yokohama for fuel and to pick up any refugees who may wish to go to Vancouver. Numerous inquiries have been received regarding the movement of the vessel and this last message appears to carry the definite announcement in this respect.

Latest List Of Foreigners Reported Dead

MR. HERR, killed at Miyanoshita when a falling pole knocked him over the cliff.

SENOR DEL CORRILL, Minister of the Argentine Republic, SENORA DEL CORRILL AND SENORITA MARIE LOUISE DEL CORRILL.

MRS. J. P. KING AND DAUGHTER, SYLVIA.

MR. JUEL MADSEN, the Danish artist recently in Shanghai. Killed at Kamakura.

MR. AND MRS. R. JARNO, of Villa Bros.

MR. THOMAS LURTON, an Australian visiting in Yokohama.

MRS. L. ZEMBSCH, wife of Chief Pharmacist, U. S. Naval Hospital, who was also killed.

MRS. C. REICH, previously reported missing.

MR. ROGER L. MOORE, assistant manager, Grand Hotel, formerly manager Astor House Hotel.

MISS MURIEL FARDEL, daughter of Mr. H. F. Fardel, of the Shanghai Public School for Boys. Mr. Fardel and another daughter, Mrs. Rowbottom, were also killed.

MRS. LAWRENCE, an Australian woman visiting in Yokohama.

MR. E. J. KITCHING.

MRS. GALSTAUN AND THREE CHILDREN. According to the Yokohama hong list there were two families of that name, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Galstaun, 220-A, Bluff, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Galstaun, Apcar & Co., also 220-A, Bluff.

MR. RUD RATJEN.

MR. G. KERCHOFER.

MRS. FRITZ SCHOENE, 106-B. Bluff.

MR. T. A. ARMINE AND FAMILY.

MISS E. K. VARLEY.

MR. RAFAEL MOYAL.

MR. AND MRS. H. B. CHAMBERS.

MR. PERCY SCHUER, of Schuer and Co., Exporters.

MRS. GORDON J. BIEGELL.

MR. F. G. I. WAGNER.

MR. A. DUNCAN, s.s. Steel Navigator, previously reported missing.

ATAMAN SEMENOFF, formerly Ataman of all the Cossacks, who had taken refuge in Yokohama.

MRS. A. J. CAVE, wife of the British Vice-Consul in Vladivostok.

MR. R. ELLIOTT, of the staff of the Rising Sun Petroleum Company.

MR. GEORGE RUSSELL, director, J. Curnow & Co. His brother, Maurice, was also killed.

MRS. KERR, wife of Mr. S. R. Kerr, Samuel Samuels & Co.

MISS R. I. APCAR, believed to be the daughter of Mr. A. M. Apcar of Apcar & Co.

MR. GEORGE HOOD, agent for Manufacturer's Life Insurance Company. No word of Mrs. Hood, who lived at 3195 Negishi.

MR. H. F. BROWN, owner, Coronation Bakery.

MR. McHENRY HOLBROOK, International Banking Corporation.

MRS. THOMPSON. According to the Yokohama hong list Mrs. R. E. and Mrs. J. Thompson, lived in Yokohama. Mrs. R. E. Thompson is safe in Shanghai, having left Yokohama just before the catastrophe.

MR. W. D. BLATCH

MR. EDWARD HARRISS

MRS. ELSINER HIKTON.

PROF. DANIEL B. LANGDON, famous naturalist.

MISS LIGOURI, daughter of Mr. A. Ligouri, Lane, Crawford & Co., who was also killed.

MISS J. MARTON.

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25 SAILORS KILLED WHEN DESTROYERS ARE WRECKED

Fleet Of Seven U. S. Warcraft Meets Disaster

SHIPS TOTAL LOSS

Vessels Go Ashore In Fog Off California

(Reuter's Service)

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—An American naval disaster has occured to the north of Santa Barbara. A flotilla of seven destroyers, which had left San Francisco for Santiago on Saturday, went ashore in a fog at Honda Point. All the vessels were badly damaged. It is feared that some are total losses. Twenty-five lives were lost.

(Reuter's Service)

Santa Barbara, Sept. 10.—The seven destroyers are piled up on a rock. The flotilla was engaged in practice cruising.

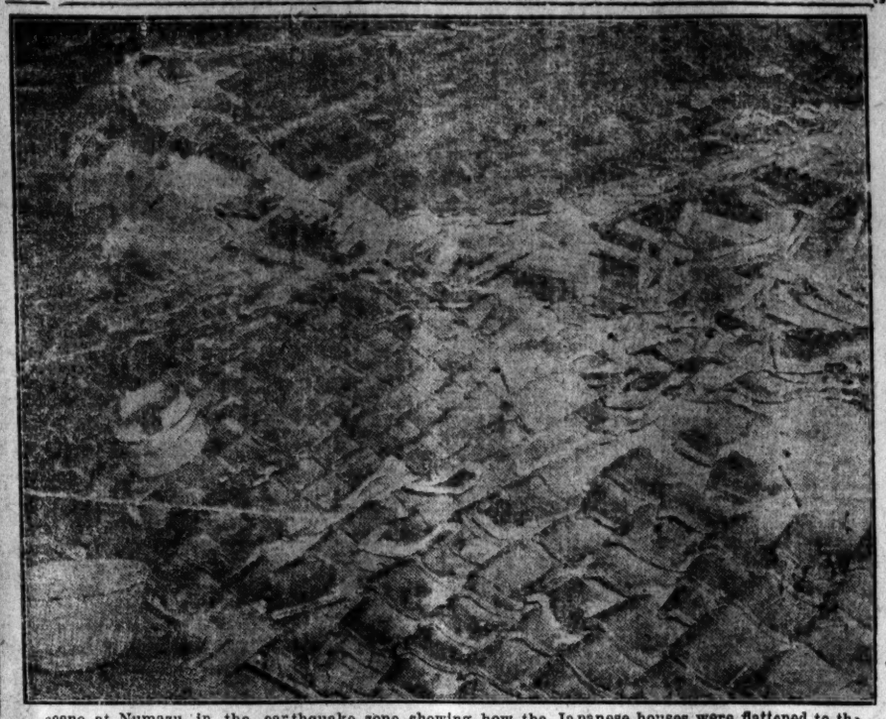
The 25 men who perished were trapped in their bunks and drowned. The destroyers turned over within two minutes after the crash.

Over 500 men were rescued, of whom 15 are seriously injured. A hundred others, in spite of cuts and bruises, swam to safety over jagged rocks.

The destroyers were travelling in formation at the speed of 20 knots. There was a heavy sea and a dense fog. When the leader of the flotilla crashed the strong tide piled up the others in quick succession.

The seven destroyers lie in a line along the shore at intervals of 250 feet, with the seas sweeping over them.

-:- In The Trail Of Disaster -:-



A scene at Numazu in the earthquake zone showing how the Japanese houses were flattened to the ground by the terrific temblor.

ANDRE LEBON TO ARRIVE SATURDAY WITH REFUGEES

Wire Brings Graphic Story; American Helped Save Ship

Word that the French Mail steamer Andre Lebon will reach here with refugees from Japan next Saturday, together with graphic details of rescues in Yokohama and of the Andre Lebon's experience was carried in a message received by the local offices of the company from Mr V. Maynard, Agent General for the Far East.

Mr. Maynard left here last Wednesday by the company's steamer Amboise to investigate the damages sustained by the Yokohama staff and offices and is at present in Yokohama. The message follows:

According to information given by De Torsiac (1st clerk of the M. M. Office in Yokohama) the French Consul at Yokohama was killed at the first shock by stone falling on his chest whilst leaving his office.

The building of the company crumbled with the first shock, burying Madame Fombertaux (wife of the M. M. Agent) and her two children. Fombertaux (Agent of the M. M.) was in town. He hurried home and found nothing but heaps of debris, but with the assistance of De Torsiac and some members of the M. M. staff he was able, after one hour's work, to rescue the victims, who had sustained no injury, just when the fire had started. They were able afterwards to proceed with a sampan on board a Japanese steamer which rescued them, notwithstanding a very rough sea.

The behavior of the Captain and of the crew of the Andre Lebon was beyond praise. On Sunday morning the vessel was surrounded by a mass of burning oil which flowed from the depots of the Standard Oil Co. and nearly brought the steamer to the brink of destruction.

The vessel was saved through the courage of an American

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Peking Proposes Customs Surtax For Japan Aid

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—The report that the Government contemplated a surtax on the Customs duty with the object of providing funds for relief to Japan is now confirmed.

The proposal, which has been presented to the Diplomatic Corps, intends that half the proceeds shall be applied to destitute Japanese and the other half to the relief of Chinese and other nationals who suffered in the earthquake.

Mrs. Komor Burned To Death While Husband Looked On Helplessly

Woman, Imprisoned By Wreckage, Is Devoured By Flames After Man Pleads Vainly For Aid In Effort To Rescue Her

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Kobe, Sept. 9.—The town is crowded with refugees from the earthquake area.

Mr. Louis Jeckerlin, agent for Swiss watches, relates a typical experience in Yokohama. "I was just entering my office in the center of the foreign settlements at 12 o'clock when the building began to sway. I stood in the doorway, which I considered the safest place. Eight others were there. Then came an awful shock. We fell but got up again. The building, which is a Japanese structure, did not fall. We went out. Houses were down all around us.

"I rushed to to find my wife, who had been shopping. I had to walk over collapsed roofs in choking dust. Thousands were doing the same, searching for their relatives. Hundreds were pinned in debris. I heard a man scream and found that he was a friend, who had broken his leg. The bones were sticking out at the ankle. He cried for water but there was none to be had. Heads, arms and legs were sticking out of the debris everywhere.

"Numerous Japanese were rescuing their children. I proceeded along the Bund when the fire, which had till then only broken out here and there, broke out in earnest. Thousands rushed to the sea to avoid the awful wind-driven heat. Among them I noticed Mr. Edwards, the submanager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, with his hand clean off and the arm-stump bleeding profusely.

"Numerous foreigners were asking for their wives. The Grand Hotel did not completely collapse but I saw it consumed in less that 10 minutes by the fire. Everybody was now rushing to the sea to avoid the heat. Thousands were in the water, some swimming to various boats, some lying at the edge, some in up to the neck with hands over their faces or heads to protect themselves from the heat of the burning city.

"Covering my face with my coat I came out of the water to have a final search for my wife. Just then I met George Komor, of Kuhn and Komor, Ltd., standing opposite his tumbled-down house near what had been the Grand hotel shouting something very loud. I went close to him and listened.

"This is was he was shouting: 'I offer 10,000 yen to whoever gets out my wife.' He was standing waist deep in the debris and dust, pointing towards a woman's head sticking out high up from a pile of wood. The body was pinned and could not move. She saw her husband. It was utterly impossible to get near her. The fire was coming on fast on both sides. Then the fire swept up and soon caught the wood pile. The poor woman was consumed before our eyes. We could distinctly hear her cries for help to the last.

"I resumed my search for my wife. As I walked along the side of the creek, the smoke was terrible. Dead and dying lay everywhere. They were of all sorts and conditions. Then I met a friend who said that he had seen my wife in the park. I threw my arms around him and

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WOOD, AMERICAN ENVOY IS SAFE, MESSAGES SHOW

Capt. Eisler Also Safe; Doubt Report Of "Dinty" Moore's Death

Mr. Cyrus E. Woods, the American Ambassador to Japan, and his wife and mother-in-law, are not dead, but safe, according to the best information obtainable by THE CHINA PRESS.

A report in an afternoon newspaper to the effect that the Japanese Foreign Office had announced that Ambassador Woods is dead is believed to have resulted from an error on telegraphic transmission or a mistaken idea.

THE CHINA PRESS, four days ago, carried an exclusive dispatch that Ambassador Woods was safe. The next day the United Press carried a dispatch from Washington that Mr. Woods had personally cabled the State Department word of the safety of himself and family.

Since then several messages are known to have passed between Washington and Ambassador Woods, all of which indicate that he is safe., and uninjured. The Eastern News Agency also carried a report that the Foreign Office had announced that Ambassador Woods was safe.

Acting Consul-in-Charge J. P. Davis stated last night that there was no question in his mind that the American Ambassador was safe.

Many reports, some of them woefully inaccurate, are bound to be scattered about in such calamities and especially when missing persons have failed to let their friends know of their safety. Such rumors are believed to account for the rumor that Capt. W. I Eisler, Shanghai representative of the U. S. Shipping Board is killed.

Capt. Eisler was seen alive and uninjured after the earthquake at Hakone by several people. Mrs. E. G. Whittaker, who kept a diary of her experiences, men-

NEW QUAKE IS REPORTED AT CALCUTTA; NO DAMAGE DONE

Severe Shock Felt During Early Morning

CITY IS ALARMED

Survivors In Japan Give Details Of Disaster

(Reuter's Service)

Calcutta, Sept. 10.—A severe earthquake shock was felt at four this morning. People rushed out of buildings in their night attire. No damage to buildings has been reported.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Sept. 10.—It is officially stated that the casualties at Yokohama were 23,000 dead and 40,000 injured.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept. 10.—It is reported from Osaka that twenty-one British subjects at Tokio are known to be dead or are reported missing.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 9.—It has now been established that the major portion of Tokio's fatalities occurred at one place, namely, the Military Clothing Depot at Honjo-Ward where over 30,000 perished. This report so far had not been credited though it had been reliably reported more than once. However the actual circumstances leading to the terrible tragedy are now for the first time described by a young man, Mr. Kawashima, who miraculously saved his life and reached Osaka today. His story is as follows:

"On Saturday after the first shock I ran for my life together with thousands who rushed to take refuge in the great open space of the Military Cloths Depot which was over ten acres enclosed by brick walls. On reaching there I found tens of thousands of people already gathered because it was an ideal place for refuge. Late is the afternoon a terrific east wind brought with it burning flames. It was so hot that even in this wide rendezvous the hair on peoples' faces actually burned.

"Naturally there was a rush to the west in the enclosed space causing a tremendous stampede in which thousands died trampled over by the flow of men. I survived, but this experience was followed by another new experience in which the cyclone actually blew me off to a point in the same enclosure where there was a pool with water breast-deep. I plunged in, covering my head with a wadded cushion.

"I heard the groans of those perishing on all hands. So tremendous was the volume of flame converging and the showers of great pieces of burning wood and iron that many thousands were roasted alive. I do not know what happened after that until the next morning when I was rescued by troops together with 20 or 30 others. The whole compound was covered with nothing but half burned corpses."

(Nihon Dempo)

Tokio, Sept. 10.—For the disposal of innumerable dead bodies, those victims of the disaster, 10,000 coolies with 29 motor cars and lorries are employed. They are doing their utmost in the removal of corpses from all parts of the city.

Up to the midnight of the 8th, more than 60,000 were sent to and burnt in the crematories. The number of those who cut short of their pains by jumping into Sumida River and those who have been dead under collapsed houses is still unavailable. But when they all turn out, the death-roll is exected to swell over 100,000.

For the cremation of these dead

bodies, kerosine oil as well as heavy oil are being used.

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports:

According to the plan of the Tokio Municipality of accommodating homeless refugees in Tokio 10,000 refugees are to be accommodated at Shibaura, 10,000 outside the Meiji Shrine and upward of 100,000 in various schools and temples. In the military tents, which are arriving in Tokio, 45,000 are to be quartered. It is also expected that 40,000 houses in the form of barracks will be erected very soon.

(Eastern News Agency)

An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports: People in Osaka are very anxious to receive the tidings of those who are supposed to be still staying in Tokio but owing to the destruction of organs of communication, there is as yet no way of communicating with Tokio. The Tokio Central Telegraph Office, however, has begun, as from the 7th instant, to handle telegrams by the public with the object of informing the welfare or otherwise of the sufferers in Tokio. As a consequence, an average of some 150,000 telegrams were poured in per day, of which only 130 telegrams arrived in Osaka on the 8th. In Tokio, the sufferers, finding it impossible to obtain telegraph forms, are sending in handkerchiefs, gloves, packages of cigarettes with words written on them, which the Telegraph Office is despatching by mail.

(Eastern News Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports:—Those, whose homes have been burnt down or destroyed, number some 1,300,000, the majority of whom have already settled down in the homes of their relatives or friends. There are still about 137,000 homeless people, according to investigations made by the Tokio Municipality. Hibiya Park, Uyeno Park, the Botanical Garden at Koishikawa and the Tokio Higher Normal School are full of sufferers.

It appears that foodstuffs have not yet been distributed sufficiently, in view of the fact that carp and ducks kept in the pond of Hibiya Park have all been eaten up by these refugees.

(Eastern News Agency)

The offices of all the newspapers in Tokio, excepting those of the "Japan Times," the Tokio "Nichi Nichi," the "Miyako," and the "Hochi," were completely reduced to ashes.

With regard to the damage done to the City of Yokohama, according to investigations made up to September 7, out of the total number of 85,000 houses, about 90 per cent. were either burnt down or demolished, and the dead amounted to some 10,000 (?), whereas the wounded are innumerable.

It has come to light that a majority of the members of the Diplomatic Corps at Tokio and of the Consular Body at Yokohama are safe, and among those who have been found to be dead up to September 6, are the American Consul and his wife, the French Consul and a lady attached to the American Embassy.

With regard to the relief-work, the distribution of foodstuffs is being effected very smoothly through the efforts on the part of the Tokio Municipality, the military and naval relief forces.

The electric light, water-supply and tram-car service throughout the capital are being restored by degrees.

RESISTANCE IN RUHR FALLING, SAYS POINCARE

German Proposal Putting Cart Before Horse, Says Premier

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 9.—Speaking at the inauguration of a war monument at Damvilliers M. Poincare declared that German resistance in the Ruhr was beginning to collapse spontaneously. Dr. Stresemann now offered other guarantees than the Ruhr and the railways in the occupied territories, but a bird in the hand was worth two in the bush.

The guarantees would add nothing to the general mortgage on all the property of the German States which was conferred by the Treaty. M. Poincare declared that France preferred the positive securities she had in hand to these theoretic rights. She would not abandon them for general guarantees, excellent on paper but unproductive in practice. "We want realities and we shall only leave when we are paid."

The Premier declared that Dr. Stresemann's proposal for the collaboration of French and German industries as a preliminary to the settlement of reparations was putting the cart before the horse. It was true that as Germany produced coal and France ore it would be advantageous to the industries of the two countries to come to an understanding some day, but Frenchmen were very interested in these economic conventions, and realised that it was their duty first to allow the French Government to obtain positive results in the reparations problem.

When France saw Germany sincerely determined to settle the paramount question of the re-birth of the devastated regions and to give something besides promises for France's security, France would consider without prejudice the possibility of concluding economic treaties, but Germany must begin by showing goodwill and decide finally to make a serious effort to pay her debts. "Germany is at the cross-roads. If she wishes to save herself there is still time, but, if she persists on her methods, she will bring upon herself catastrophe for which we shall not be responsible."

Latest List Of Foreigners Reported Dead

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MRS. MENDELSON, wife of Mr. M. Mendelson of Berrick Co., Ltd. and CHILD.

MR. F. OLSEN. A Mr. K. Olsen, Olsen & Co. is listed in the hong list.

MISS HILDA PIGGOTT, believed to be the daughter of Mrs. H. C. Piggott, 64, Bluff.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT ALEXANDER.
MRS. R. K. ARNOLD.
MR. J. C. AUMEN.
MISS HELEN BARNES.

MR. AND MRS. NELSON BELL AND TWO DAUGHTERS. The hong list gives Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bell and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bell.

MR. AND MRS. WALTER BUCHANAN AND CHILD.
MR. PHILIP CONVICT
MR. OTTO CROSS
MISS MARGARET DOWD
MISS KATHERINE ELDER

DR. EVERETT GREENE AND DAUGHTER, FANNY.
MR. E. H. HAMILTON.
MISS JESSIE HARRISON.

MISS IRENE MANN. Misses A. and V. Mann, both employees of the Standard Oil Co., lived at 89-B, Bluff. No Irene Mann is listed.

MISS MARGARET ROGERS. Miss M. S. Rogers lived at 212, Bluff. It is believed to be the same young woman.

MR. CARL ROHDE, manager of Shanghai office of H. C. Augustesen China Trade. Died of apoplexy following the earthquake.

MR. J. CHAPPELLE AND Family. Mr. Chappelle was with the Crown Cork Co.

MISS ETHEL HARRISON.
MISS GRACE HENDRICK.
MR. LEHMAN HISEY.
MISS OLIVE HODGES.
MISS MAY JESSE.
MISS BERNICE JOHNSON.
MISS CLARA LOOMIS.
MISS KATHERINE MACGREGOR.
MR. AND MRS. FRANCIS PRIZE.
MR. AND MRS. SANZO.
MISS HELEN SEYMOUR.
MR. PAUL STEINTERF.
MISS HANNAH TANNER, AND TWO NIECES.
MR. EZRA THATMER.
MR. JAMES THATMER.
MISS POLLY THATMER.
MISS MAY TRACY.
MR. HERMEL TUMLIN.
MR. AND MRS. E. WATSON.
MISS OLIVE WILLIAMS.
MR. G. M. DA SILVA.
MR. A.J. EASTON.
MR. AND MRS. CHARLES MARKELL.
MR. AND MRS. BOOTH.
MR. LEWIS E. MURRAY.
MR. J. CHAPPELLE AND FAMILY.
MISS C. PHILIPS.
MISS HANSA MOHTA.
MR. G. BLAIR.
MR. H. GIBSON.

MR. CHARLES WOOD, 252 Honmoku-da. No word of Mrs. Wood.

MR. AND MRS. H. K. WEATHERS.

MR. AND MRS. G. W. BROCKHURST. Mr. Brockhurst was with Singleton, Benda & Co.

MR. AND MRS. A. W. CRAING.
MR. AND MRS. A. W. BURGE.

MRS. TAYLOR, Wife of Mr. H. W. Taylor of Harold Bell, Taylor, Bird & Co., who lived at 66, Bluff.

MR. ALAN T. KNIGHT, Harold Bell, Taylor, Bird & Co., who lived at 45-C, Bluff.

MR. HENRY CLARE, 24-B, Bluff.

MR. AND MRS. D. MACKENZIE. Mr. Mackenzie was a member of the firm of Patten, Mackenzie & Co. and they lived at 61-A, Bluff.

MR. A. K. H. VIRANI, Ahmed Abdul Karim Bros.

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Mr. Dennie Heyes.
Mr. and Mrs. George Warn.

KNOWN INJURED

Mrs. J. J. Kerriss, in Dr. Fearn's Hospital, internal injuries and badly lacerated shoulder and neck.

Mr. Edwards, sub-manager, H. & S. Bank, arm cut off.

Mr. R. Boulder, British Vice-Consul, badly injured about face and head.

Mrs. I. M. McAllister, wife of American Express Co. manager. Serious internal injuries. Being taken to United States on President Jefferson.

Andre Lebon To Arrive Saturday

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citizen, Mr. Laffin, who with a motor boat was able to take a mooring line from the ship to a buoy, enabling thus the Andre Lebon to leave the danger zone. The crew was beyond praise towards about 1,500 refugees of all nationalities who rushed the Andre Lebon and who were given linen, clothing, etc. The French Embassy, French Consulate and agency of the M. M. Co. transferred on the Andre Lebon. Impossible at present to give number of French victims in Tokio. In Yokohama about sixteen French people killed.

Andre Lebon will leave Yokohama September 11 with refugees for Kobe.

The vessel was taken by surprise, whilst her engines and winches had been taken down for usual repairs and overhaul. She had also her boilers and condensers opened. All parts have been recovered by the vessel amid the debris of the dock and remounted by her own means. In agreement with the French Embassy and with local authorities we propose detaining the Amboise and perhaps the Cordilliere four days to continue evacuation of refugees and relations with Embassy, after which we consider useless to send vessels up to Yokohama. Sanitary conditions on board Andre Lebon continue to be good. Meynard left 9 o'clock for Yokohama on Amboise, Andre Lebon will probably leave Kobe Wednesday night.

Reports say Madame Schlisler and Journe family safe.

The Andre Lebon, leaving Kobe Wednesday night, may be expected in Shanghai Saturday morning. She will be moored at the company's Lower Buoys and will leave for Honkong on Sunday, September 16, at 1 p.m. Passengers will be conveyed to the steamer by the tender leaving the French Bund at 10 a.m. on the same day.

Shensi Tuchun Deserts Wu Pei-fu

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Sept. 6.—Tuchun Liu Chen-hua of Shensi Province is rumored to have declared independence of Wu Pei-fu according to a dispatch of the Japanese Telegraph News Agency in Hankow. It is further stated that Liu has denounced the actions of Wu Pei-fu and that he will severe his connections with Wu's party.

The report is very conflicting now that Tuchun Liu has just taken from the Hanyang Arsenal a large supply of ammunitions to Shensi with a view to assisting Wu Pei-fu's military campaign in Szechuen Province.

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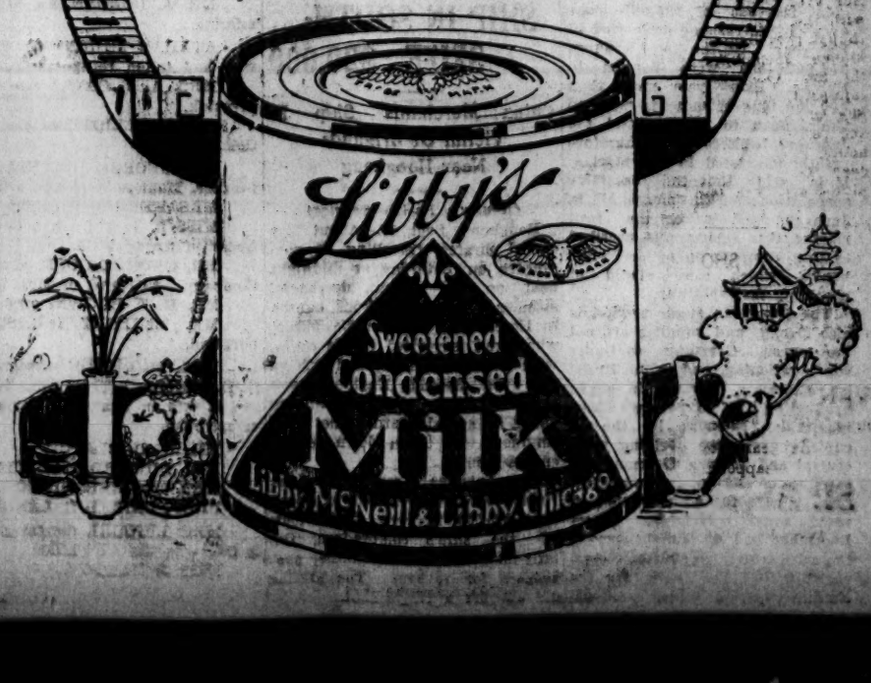

JAPANESE SHIP SEIZED, LOOTED; 42 ARE KILLED

Szechuen Troops Stage Raid On Vessel; Captain, Others Slain

(Exclusive China Press)

Hankow, Sept. 10.—The Japanese steamer Iyang Maru was captured yesterday by Szechuen troops at Foochow after it had been suspected of smuggling arms and ammunitions to the northern troops.

The Japanese captain and chief officer and 40 Chinese passengers were killed.

(Nihon Dempo)

A radio despatch to a Japanese warship now in port states that the steamer Giyo Maru of the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha was attacked by Chinese military police at Paichow, Szechuen, and captain Hosokawa and a first mate were shot to death. All of the cargo she carried was looted and the ship is being kept in custody. So far no news has been obtainable as to the fate of chief engineer Miyasaki and others of the crew.

Upon the receipt of the news of outrage, the Japanese warship Hira, which had been in Ichang, started for the scene of the incident.

(Eastern News Agency)

Hankow, Sept. 9.—On the morning of September 7, the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha boat, Ichang Maru, was seized at Peichow by the Chinese troops, who after ransacking everything on board the steamer, shot to death Captain Hosokawa and Chief Officer Takahashi and the chief engineer and one engineer are missing. Another steamer, Yun Yang Maru, which had a narrow escape from the troops, arrived at Ichang yesterday afternoon.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Ichang, Sept. 8.—The Japanese steamers Yungyang and Yiyang, en route to Chungking, on their arrival at Foochow were attacked by General Chou Hsi-cheng's troops. The captain and chief officer of the Yungyang were shot dead and some firemen injured.

Steamers from Chungking report that the city gates are closed and fighting is proceeding.

Mrs. Komor Is Burned To Death

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then rushed to the park. There were awful sights en route. I found thousands in the park, which was surrounded on all four sides by burning buildings. It looked like becoming a dreadful trap. Hundreds collapsed.

"Then Providence stepped in. The fountain pipes burst and the park was soon full of water almost waist-deep. What a God-send! I remained for hours in the park in the water. Everybody had torn pieces off their clothes to cover their hands and faces from the heat. During the night I heard an Englishman shouting: 'I am here to save you, folks.' I discovered that he had come from the Empress of Russia for rescue work and asked him if he had rescued any foreign women. He said: 'Yes. Just sent over a boat-load of 40 to the Empress.' He advised me to give up my search and to go to the Empress to see if she were there. I went. As soon as I got on board I scanned the faces of all those 40 women but my wife was not there.

"I won't describe to you the scenes on the Empress. Husbands were looking for their wives, mothers were looking for their children and husbands. They didn't interest me.

"Leaning over the rail I saw what looked like another boat-load of refugees coming. I got near the gangway. When I discovered foreign women in the boat you can imagine how I scanned their faces. They had all passed on board. I recognised none of them as my wife. Then one came slowly to me. It was she. But, oh! so grey with dust! Her eyes were red and swollen with the heat. She had been shopping at Banten-dori, the well-known shopping center. When the first shock came the shop collapsed but nothing hit her. She got out between the rafters and remained in the park 12 hours, most of the time waist-deep in water, and was then picked up by a rescuer."

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$400,000 Worth Of Silk Stolen In New York Robbery

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept 10.—The largest silk robbery in New York police annals has just come to light. Two hundred and forty-seven bales of raw silk, the property of Messrs. Suzuki and Company, a branch of the Kobe firm, has been abstracted from their warehouse. The silk is said to be worth at the present inflated quotations $400,000.

While the watchman was patrolling the front of the building, ingenious thieves in an adjoining building bored through the brick walls into a loft, which contained the loot, and carried off the silk in motor-trucks at their leisure.

STEAMER CUBA ASHORE; NINE STILL MISSING

Pacific Mail Liner Goes On Reef; May Be Total Loss

(Reuter's Service)

San Francisco, September 9.—Fragementary wireless messages report that the Pacific Mail S. S. Co.'s steamer, Cuba, is in difficulties south of San Pedro. An American destroyer is picking up survivors.

Los Angeles, Sept. 9.—The American steamer Reno wirelesses that she has rescued the passengers and most of the crew of the Pacific Mail liner Cuba (formerly the German Coblenz), but nine of the latter are missing in an open boat. The Cuba is ashore on a reef at San Miguel Island, and it is feared she is a total loss.

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—The Pacific Mail liner Cuba is believed to have sunk after striking the western end of San Miguel Island. A search for the vessel has proved fruitless. The destroyer has picked up some of the crew and passengers and landed them at Los Angeles. An oil-tanker is bringing others here.

The fate of Captain Holland, the purser, the steward and eight seamen who remained on board to guard $2,500,000 worth of silver bullion is problematical.

GREECE AGREES TO DECISIONS OF CONFERENCE

Reply Of Athens Hailed In Rome As Victory For Italians

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Sept. 9.—Greece has replied to the Note of the Conference of Ambassadors announcing her readiness to conform to the decisions of the Conference.

The reply agrees to all the demands of the Conference, but stresses Greece's previous request that the evacuation of Corfu should be assured as soon as possible.

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Sept. 9.—The newspapers rejoice at the decision of the Conference of Ambassadors, which is described as a triumph for the Italian contentions, and praise the energy and firmness of Signor Mussolini.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 9.—Greece's acceptance of the terms of the Ambassadors' Conference does not mean the immediate evacuation of Corfu, judging by despatches from Rome, which leave little doubt that Signor Mussolini will only evacuate after Greece has completely carried out the terms, including the trial and punishment of the guilty which may take some weeks.

(Reuter's Service)

Athens, Sept. 9.—The reported anti-Italian excesses at Patras, where it was alleged the Consulate was burned down, are semi-officially denied.

Germans To Cut Ruhr Fight Cost

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Sept. 9.—The Imperial Economic Council has passed a resolution in favor of immediately reducing "expenditure in respect of the Ruhr fight" to an absolute minimum. The distribution of the money earmarked for this purpose will be entrusted to a committee of members of the Government and representatives of various political and economic bodies, vested with dictatorial powers.

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Wood, American Envoy Is Safe

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tions having seen him alive and well, and several messages have been received to the same effect. The China Press last night received a wireless dispatch saying that Capt. Eisler would take charge of the Shipping Board interests in Japan temporarily because of the fact that Mr. Anderson is now confined to hospital as a result of injuries received during the earthquake.

'DINTY' MOORE

Mr. Roger L. ('Dinty') Moore is also reported dead in yesterday's death list, but there still remains doubt that the popular former manager of the Astor House is dead. Several refugees reported seeing him alive after the earthquake and Mrs. Whittaker, in her diary, also mentions a Mr. Moore at Hakone. It is believed to be Mr. Roger L. Moore despite persistent reports of his death.

The China Press will appreciate telephone calls or written messages from its readers concerning the safety or death of friends or relatives in the catastrophe. Every effort is being made to compile a complete and accurate list but errors are bound to creep in because of the great agitation among the refugees and the terrible congestion at Kobe. The China Press City Editor's telephone number is Central 676. Corrections or additions to the list of dead or saved may be telephoned or sent in at any hour of the day or night.

German Dream Of Alliance Wrecked By Japan Disaster

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 9.—The Berlin correspondent of the Observer says that the catastrophe in Japan had political effects on Germany where dreams visualised an alliance with Russia and Japan designed to unite Germany, Russia and Japan in a powerful political combination. The correspondent declares that the disaster has dashed these hopes.

The Observer, in a leading article, emphatically refuses to believe the suggestion that Japan's position as a world Power will suffer any eclipse. To doubt that she will recover as surely, swiftly and completely as California recovered is to deny the modern miracle which the Power of Japan represents.

(Reuter's Service)

Duesseldorf, Sept. 8.—A court-martial today sentenced to death a German student, named Raabe, for throwing a grenade at French troops.

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SAY PRESIDENT LI YUAN-HUNG IS NOW IN SHANGHAI

Unconfirmed Report Has Deposed Executive Arriving Sunday

President Li Yuan-hung, who resigned from his Peking office on June 13, arrived in Shanghai last night and has taken up residence in the French Concession, according to current reports among Chinese last night. He is said to have arrived in Woosung shortly after noon yesterday and was conveyed ashore by a launch under the escort of a Chinese gunboat.

While his close friends at Shanghai refused to confirm the report of his arrival, they admitted that Li had planned to come down to Shanghai and was due to arrive here shortly. All of them refuse to give out his definite address although it was reported that a certain house had been rented sometime ago in the French Concession for his temporary residence.

Li was accompanied by more than 20 secretaries and friends, it is reported.

Another report says that the man who arrived here last night was Li Keng-yuan, ex-minister of Agriculture and Commerce, who came down to make arrangements for Li Yuan-hung's mission to Shanghai.

President Wilson, Due Tomorrow, May Be Delayed

Bringing mail from the States, the President Wilson which was due in Shanghai from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports tomorrow, may be delayed owing to the relief work in Japan. The liner has on board 4,000 tons of cargo and a big list of passengers for this port.

The President Grant which docked at the China Merchants Central Wharf last Sunday, will sail for Seattle via Japan ports at 9 o'clock this morning, and mail closes at 7 a.m.

A mail from Europe will arrive on the P. and P. steamer Karmala this morning. The vessel which comes from London, will berth at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf at daybreak.

The French Mail liner Andre Lebon which was scheduled to sail from this port for Marseilles next Friday, has been delayed on account of the relief work in Japan. The liner is due to leave Yokohama this morning, and arriving in Shanghai next Saturday morning at the lower buoys.

Mail for Europe may be dispatched on the Blue Funnel boat Lycaon tomorrow, closing at 8 o'clock tonight. The Sicilia of P. and O. will leave this port for Bombay next Thursday, and the tender with outgoing passengers is to leave the Customs jetty at one o'clock that afternoon.

Obituary

MRS. ROBERT LENT

Mrs. Mary Margaret Lent, wife of Mr. Robert Lent, died at the General Hospital yesterday. She was 39 years of age at the time of her death.

Funeral services will be held at St. Joseph's Church at 8 o'clock this morning. Burial will be at Bubbling Well Cemetery at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

It is requested that no flowers be sent but that contributions can be sent to the earthquake victims fund or to local charity instead.

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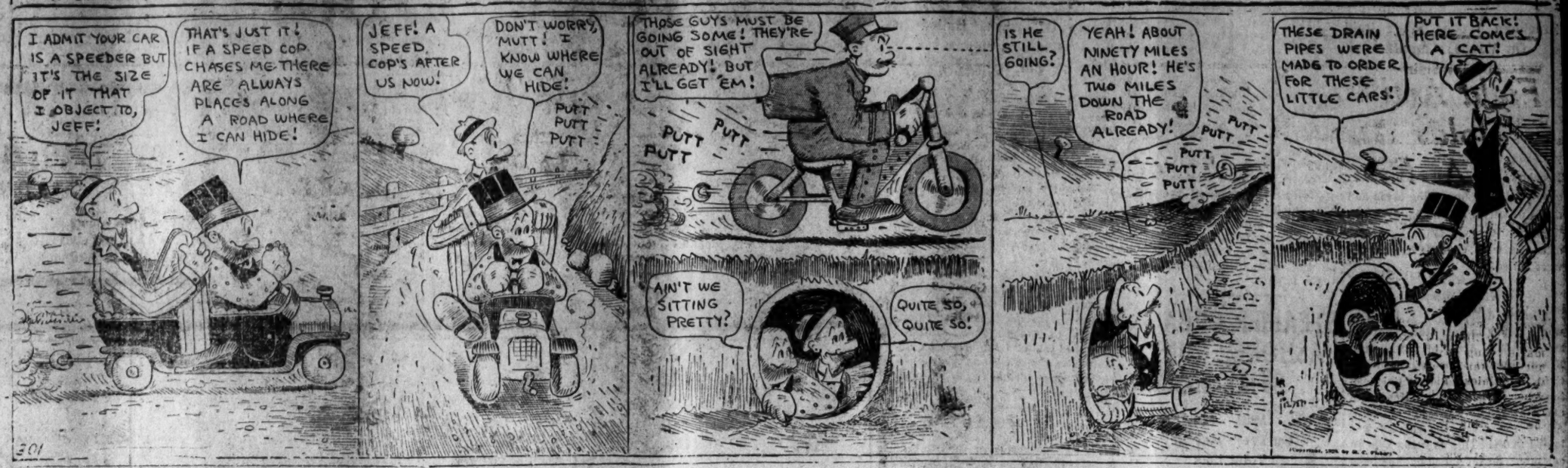
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News Brevities

Mr. Stirling Fessenden, Chairman of the Watch Committee, is now Acting Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council as Chairman Simms is in Hongkong and Vice-Chairman Lambe is in Tsingtao.

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Mr. Frank A. Siefert is sailing for Japan on the President Grant tomorrow to look after the interests of the Singer Sewing Machine Company as a result of the disaster.

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Silk which went forward from Shanghai on the P. and O. steamer Khiva, August 4, arrived in Marseilles at 1 p.m. on Sept. 9.

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Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier and Mrs. Lobingier will return to Shanghai today from an extended trip through North China, and Korea. Considerable apprehension was felt concerning Judge Lobingier's safety for a time as it was thought that he might have been in Yokohama at the time of the catastrophe.

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The concert which was to have been given by the B. W. A. on last Friday, but which was postponed on account of the inclement weather, will be given on the Hotel Majestic grounds beginning at 9:30 o'clock tonight. The concert to be given next Friday evening will be for the benefit of Japanese earthquake sufferers.

FIVE INJURED IN TRAIN CRASH ON THE NANKING LINE

Five passengers were injured when the night express which left Shanghai Sunday night collided with the 35th freight train between Soochow and Kwantuli yesterday morning at 1:45 o'clock. Damages to both the locomotives and to the passenger train were considerable.

Witnesses say the fault was entirely with the passenger train, because it passed through the Kwantuli station without noticing the "Line not Clear" signal. This could not be confirmed. Passengers on the night express which left Nanking Sunday night were without their baggage when they arrived because they had to change cars and board the damaged train, which had to return to Shanghai, arriving here at 10:50 o'clock in the morning, four hours later than the scheduled time.

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The Crest beginning last night will make a specialty of the Shanghai equivalent of 'dime dances.' In other words dance lovers without partners may buy a ticket for fifty cents and dance with specially chosen dancing partners. No champagne is served as formerly.

Fire Causes Big Damage To Marcels And Continental

Two floors of Marcel's were gutted and considerable damage was done to the Continental Hotel and a godown formerly occupied by Dent and Co. in a fire that broke out Sunday night. The fire supposedly started in the godown and quickly spread to the surrounding structures.

Marcel's damage was the greatest as the round floor was gutted and the second floor almost completely destroyed. The ceiling collapsed and a greater portion of all their stock on hand was destroyed and damaged by water.

One room on the top floor of the Continental Hotel was destroyed. The occupant, unwilling to be disturbed by what he thought was an ordinary street rumpus, turned over and went back to sleep but was soon driven from his bed by the heat. Damage to the hotel is estimated at Tls. 10,000.

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Wider Appeal Made for Aid Of Sufferers

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ries; 1,000 picks and shovels, and 500 cases of infants' food.

DR. DUNN SAILING

Sailing by the Grant are several of the doctors and nurses of the American Red Cross relief unit including Dr. T. B. Dunn, prominent local physician who had made all preparations for a trip home when the disaster occurred and who volunteered to stop off in Japan to give what aid he could.

The British Women's Association committee for the relief of the Japanese earthquake refugees is prepared to fit out all those in need of clothing, according to an announcement made yesterday by Mrs. H. Y. Irwine, chairman of the committee. Distribution will be made twice daily from the association rooms, 12 Kiukiang Road, from 10 o'clock to noon and from 2 to 4 p.m.

On account of urgent domestic affairs in connection with her impending departure for home Mrs. H. G. Simms has been obliged to resign her position as Chairman of the Women's Local Relief Committee recently formed under the auspices of the British Women's Association and the American Woman's Club, and Mrs. H. Y. Irwine has taken her place. The Committee now consists of Mrs H. Y. Irwine (Chairman), Mrs Gardner Crane, Mrs. A. C. Clear, Mrs. Wylie, Mrs. E. H. McMichael, Mrs. Giovannini, Mrs. Dovey, Mrs. Clapp, Mrs. Boynton and Mrs. MacGillivray.

Information regarding employment of any description would be gratefully received by the Committee. At present positions are required for a dispensing chemist and lady stenotypist. News of Mrs. Gladys Daveson is wanted by Mrs. M. C. Jansen, Tel. North 428. All communications for the Relief Committee should be addressed to Mrs. H. Y. Irwine, c-o the British Women's Association, No. 12 Kiukiang Road, or to Mrs. Gardner Crane, c-o the American Woman's Club, 66 Szechuen Road.

SWEDISH AID GIVEN

According to word received by the Swedish Consul-General here, a Relief Committee for Japan has been formed at Stockholm, presided over by the Swedish Minister of Foreign Affairs, His Excellency Hederstierna, and with a view to bring aid to the sufferers in the earthquake stricken area.

The Committee has cabled to the Manager of the Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., here, Mr. W. von Normann, requesting him to buy and forward to the Japanese Red Cross Society at Kobe a considerable quantity of wheat flour for distribution. The call for urgent aid has thus been quickly responded to and the goods were shipped Saturday by the Swedish m.s Canton.

FEAR FOR CHINESE

Fear for the safety of Chinese Y.M.C.A. officials and for the 3,000 Chinese students in Tokio was heightened here yesterday on receipt of a telegram from Mr. Frank Price, dated September 10, from Kobe. The wire read:

"Was in Tokio earthquake. Unable find Secretary Ma. Came Kobe. Returning Tokio today with Chinese relief party, doctors, aid students. Will wire results. Please send relief contributions. Cablegrams care Chinese Consulate Kobe."

There were nine secretaries and teachers on the staff of the Tokio Y.M.C.A. for Chinese students, the General Secretary being Mr. P. Y. Ma, referred to in the message.

Mr. Price was returning to China as an appointee of the Southern Presbyterian Mission, to be located in the Nanking Theological Seminary and at the time of the earthquake was spending a few days near Tokio. The telegram is regarded as indicating that he has cancelled his sailing for China and is devoting himself to relief work among the needy Chinese students in Tokio.

CHURCH PROFFERS AID

The appeal for accommodation for refugees arriving from Japan brings the following letter from Mr. W. C. Walker, Shanghai treasurer of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, who writes from Mokanshan:

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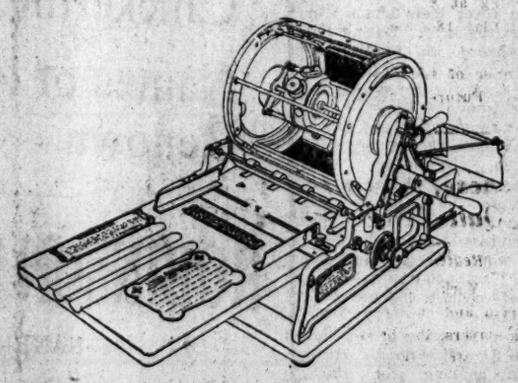

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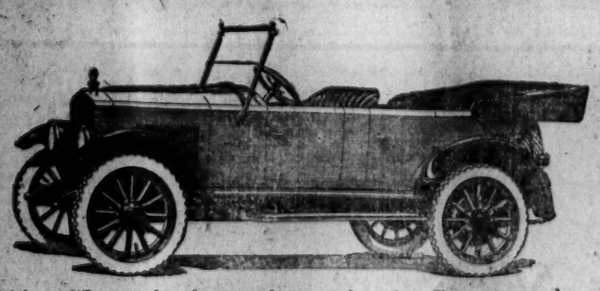

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Very early indeed on Sunday morning last the members of the Field Artillery Battery, S.V.C., mustered up on the Rifle Range, but on this occasion without their ponies, guns and spurs. When most of the battery had rubbed the sleep from their eyes the shooting began in almost perfect weather.

The heat was tempered by a North wind which did not affect the shooting to any great extent. A very pleasant tiffin, arranged by B.Q.M.S. Field, was partaken of by members and friends and the guests of honor were Lt. Col. Gordon D.S.O. (Corps Commandant), Major Stewart (Corps Superintendent of Muskety) Capt. Barrie M. C., Corps Adjutant, and Hon. Lieut. Mellows.

Appropriate speeches were given by Major Davis, the Battery Commander and Col. Gordon, and the latter was toasted with musical honors. At the conclusion of the meeting the prizes were distributed by Mrs. Davis, wife of the O. C. Battery, and then votes of thanks were given on the usual Artillery way to her and to B.Q.M.S. Field who had all the arrangements for the day on hand.

PRIZE WINNERS

Officers' Prize.—1, B.Q.M.S. Field; 2, Major Davis and 3, Sergt. H. S. Bartley.

Bazaar Prize.—1, Gnr. McCann; 2, Sergt. Danson and 3, Gnr. Morrison.

Merriss Prize.—1, Gnr. O'Mahony; 2, Gnr. Biggs and 3, Sgt. Aitchison.

N. C. Daily News Prize.—1, Gnr. Johns; 2, Gnr. F. P. Bartley and Gnr. Basker.

Brodie Clarke prize for revolver shooting.—1, Lieut. Lobb and 2, Sgt. Bartley.

The Dewar Cup.—Head quarters.

Old Members' Prize.—1, E. Lynch Esq.; 2, Major Stewart and 3, Hon.-Lieut. Mellows.

Stores Prize.—1, Gnr. Johnston; 2, Gnr. Colter; 3, Major Davis; 4, Sgt. H. S. Bartley; 5, Gnr. Diespecker and 6, Gnr. Tuttleman.

Ladies Prize.—1, Gnr. Chester for Miss Davie; 2, Gnr. Biggs for Mrs. F. P. Bartley; 3, Gnr. Hall for Mrs. Carey, 4, Gnr. F. P. Bartley for Mrs. Tuttleman.

Class Aggregates.—"A" 1, Major Davis; 2, Gnr. F. P. Bartley; "B" 1, Gnr. O'Mahony; 2, Gnr. Diespecker; "C" 1. Gnr. McCann and 2, Sgt. H. S. Bartley.

Consolation Aggregates.—"A" Gnr. Linde, "B" Gnr. Kay and "C" Gnr. Chester.

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"Zev," Fator-Up

ZEV, who won the Lawrence Realization Stakes at Belmont Park on Saturday, earned the right to meet the English Derby winner Papyrus, in the match arranged between the two Champions.

League Football

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 8.—

English League—First Division

Birmingham 0, Sunderland 2.
Burnley 2, Nottingham F. 4.
Chelsea 0, Aston Villa 0.
Everton 0, Blackburn R. 0.
Manchester C. 1, Bolton 1.
Newcastle U. 2, Sheffield U. 2.
Notts, C. 1, Huddersfield T. 0.
Preston N. E. 0, Liverpool 1.
Tottenham, H. 2, Middlesbro 1.
W. B. Albion 4, Arsenal 0.
West Ham U. 0, Cardiff City 0.

Scottish League—First Division

Ayr 1, Aberdeen 1.
St. Mirren 0, Airdrieonians 1.
Queens Park 0, Celtic 2.
Clyde 1, Kilmarnock 0.
Clydebank 0, Falkirk 1.
Dundee 1, Third Lanark 0.
Hamilton 0, Raith R. 2.
Hibernian 1, Hearts 1.
Greenock Morton 0, Rangers 1.
Partick T. 0, Motherwell 2.

Chinese Draw In Queensland Match

(Reuter's Service)

Brisbane, Sept. 8.—The Chinese football team played Queensland today, the match resulting in a draw of one goal each.

The weather was fine, but the ground was heavy. It is estimated that the attendance numbered 12,000.

Cricket

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 8.—The match between the Gentlemen and Players at Scarborough resulted in a draw. The Players made 220 and 297 for 7 wickets declared. Hendren made 100 not out in the second innings, his thirteenth century of the season, equalling the records of C. B. Fry in 1901 and of Tom Hayward in 1906. The Gentlemen made 128 and 264 for 7 wickets. Allen made 53 in the second innings.

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Lopes Winner Of President's Cup

The eighth competition for the President's Cup of the Hongkew Golf Club was held on Sunday from 7 to 11 a.m. Conditions, Medal play 18 holes, Club handicap.

There were 10 competitors and the following cards were returned.

Names	H'cap	Net
J. M. Lopes	84— 8	*76
J. M. B. Gutierrez	92— 5	87
S. Luz	101—14	87
C. M. Sequira	92— 3	89
A. M. Collaco	97— 8	89

Members are reminded that the September competition will take place on Sunday 16th inst. beginning at 8 a.m. Conditions Medal Play 18 holes Club handicap.

*winner of spoon and 2nd leg on cup. Future handicap 2.

Japanese, Anzacs Quit Tennis Play

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept. 10.—Mr. Shimidzu and the other Japanese tennis players, as well as the Australian, Mr. Hawkes, whose father was a victim of the earthquake, have withdrawn from all tournaments.

Big Crowd At Quake Benefit At Carlton

A large crowd turned out for the benefit given at the New Carlton last night for the sufferers in the Japanese earthquake and the relief fund will, as a result, be swelled appreciably. The International Stars, including Lu Chan Shan, the famous Chinese conjurer; Miss Effie Burton, the dancer, and Mr. Clifford Adams, the composer and pianist, entertained in their usual high class manner.

FIAT WINNER IN GRAND PRIX RACE AT MILAN

Salamano Takes Annual Motor Classic At Italian Course

(Reuter's Service)

Milan, Sept. 9.—Before a quarter of a million spectators today fourteen Italian, French, American and other cars, started by Signor Mussolini, competed for the Motor Grand Prix of Europe on the Monza track. Salamano, driving a F. I. A. T., won the great race, covering 800 kilometres in 5 hrs 27 mins 38 secs, followed 24 secs later by Nazzaro on a F. I. A. T. Murphy on an American Miller was third 5 mins 13 secs behind the winner.

Lois Mitzel

PRETTY 17-year-old Lois Mitzel, junior at McKinley High School, Canton, Ohio, gives promise of being one of America's best girl swimmers. She uses the crawl stroke entirely. Miss Mitzel is the girl swimming champion of Canton and was the mainstay of her team when it won chief honors in the interscholastic competition with girls' teams from other Ohio high schools.

DERBY WINNER, PAPYRUS, WILL GO TO AMERICA

To Race Zev At Belmont Park Oct. 20 For £20,000 Stake

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 8.—It has been definitely settled that the Derby winner, Papyrus, will be shipped to America on September 22 to race the best American three-year-old at Belmont Park on October 20 for stakes of £20,000.

Donoghue, who will ride Papyrus, hopes to arrive in time to give the horse a final gallop.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Sept. 9.—Zev won the Lawrence Realisation Stakes at Belmont Park today, thus earning the right to meet Papyrus. Zev covered the 13 furlongs in 2 mins. 44 3-5 secs.

American Swims English Channel

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 9.—The American, Charles Toth, swum the Channel from Grisnez to Dover in 16 hours 54 minutes, or 21 minutes longer than Tiraboschi, the Argentinian.

(Reuter's Service)

Bergamo, Sept. 9.—The cross-Channel swimmer, Tiraboschi, who is a native of Bargamo, had a great welcome on his arrival here. He was received at the Town Hall by the Mayor and the President of the Athletic Club, who presented him with a large gold medal.

"Y" SCHOOL FIVE BEATS "BLACKS" AT BASKETBALL

Schoolers Show Greater Team Work; Zung And Chang Star

The basketball game between the "All Blacks" and the Day School quintet, both of the local "Y," which resulted in a score of 40-14 in favor of the latter, was witnessed by an enthusiastic crowd in the "Y" gym. Saturday night last. The Blacks had an advantage in weight, but the school boys exhibited better team work. This fact made the game spectacular, and, at the recess, the score stood at 14-8 in favor of the ultimate winners.

The second half was featured by fast passing and beautiful shooting on the part of the schoolers. Zung and Chang, forwards of the winning team, ran wild on the floor, each caging many baskets from difficult angles, while Yuen and Lee, the guards, showed excellence in their work. Ling played a fast game for the losers, and out of a total score of 14 points, he was responsible for not less than a dozen. The defeated team was weak in its guarding line, otherwise the result would have been different.

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Names Of 250 Foreigners Now On List Of Dead In Yokohama Received Here

Miss Fardel Of Shanghai Killed—Juel Madsen, Artist, Meets Death At Kamakura—More Reported As Safe

The latest list of foreigners reported dead in Yokohama brings the death toll of the disaster to 250 foreigners.

Another Shanghai girl, Miss Muriel Fardel, is on the latest list to be received in Shanghai. Miss Fardel was visiting in Yokohama with her father, Mr. H. F. Fardel, a language instructor in the Shanghai Public School for Boys, who was killed while riding down a main street in Yokohama in a motor car. Another daughter, Mrs. Rowbottom was also killed in the disaster.

Mr. Roger L. Moore, reported killed, was extremely well known in Shanghai as 'Dinty'. He was the assistant manager of the Grand Hotel, which was completely destroyed, and was formerly manager of the Astor House Hotel here. He had been in Yokohama four or five months, going there from Seattle.

Mr. Herr, initials unknown, was killed at Miyanoshita. He was walking along one of the woodland paths at the time of the earthquake when a great pole fell, knocking him over the cliff.

Senor Del Corrill was the Minister for the Argentine and was visiting in Yokohama at the time of the catastrophe. Senora Corrill and Senorita Marie Louise Del Corrill, known as one of the belles of foreigners in the Far East was also killed.

Mr. Juel Madsen was the well known Danish artist. He recently spent a considerable period in Shanghai, living at 'Bickerton's' Private Hotel. During his stay here he made sketches of many of Shanghai's best known people, many of which were reproduced in THE CHINA PRESS. Mr. Madsen left Shanghai a little over a month ago, going to Japan to continue his work.

No local information is obtainable concerning Mr. and Mrs. Jarn of Villa Bros., Mr. Thomas Lurton, and Mrs. Lawrence, Australians who were visiting in Yokohama at the time, or Mrs. C. Reich, who was previously reported missing.

Mrs. Zembsch was the wife of Mr. L. Zembsch, Chief Pharmacist at the United States Naval Hospital at Yokohama, who was also killed.

Mrs. A. J. Cave was the wife of the British Vice-Consul at Vladivostok, who was visiting in Yokohama.

BROTHER KILLED

Mr. George Russel was a director of J. Curnow & Co. His brother, Mr. Maurice Russel, was previously reported killed also.

No local information can be secured concerning Mr. G. Kerchofer, Mr. T. A. Armine and family, Miss E. K. Varley or Mr. Rafael Moyal, all of whom are reported dead.

Mr. Fritz Schoene lived at 106-B, Bluff. No information has been received concerning Mrs. Schoene.

According to the Yokohama hong list there are two Galstaun families there, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Galstaun, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Galstaun. It is not known which Mrs. Galstaun and three children were killed. Both lived at 220-A, Bluff.

No local information is obtainable concerning Mr. E. J. Kitching or Mr. Rud Ratjen, reported dead.

No local information concerning Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chambers, Mrs. Gordon J. Biegell, Mr. F. G. I. Wagner, all reported dead, can be obtained, and their names do not appear in the Yokohama hong list.

Mr. Percy Scheuer was a member of the crew of the s.s. Steel Navigator who was previously reported missing.

SEMENOFF DEAD

Ataman Semenoff was formerly the Ataman of all Cossacks and led at least two revolts against the Bolsheviks after the downfall of the Czar. He was in Yokohama attempting to stir up another revolt.

Mr. R. Elliott was a member of the staff of the Rising Sun Petroleum Company, Mrs. Kerr was the wife of Mr. S. R. Kerr, a member of the staff of Samuel Samuels & Co.

Miss Apcar is thought to be the daughter of Mr. Michael Apcar, owner of A. M. Apcar & Co.

Mr. George Hood was the agent in Yokohama for the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Company. No word has been received of Mrs. Hood who lived at 3195 Negishi.

Mr. H. F. Brown was the owner of the Coronation Bakery, and Mr. McHenry Holbrook was a member of the staff of the International Banking Corporation who has previously been reported as missing.

No information is obtainable in Shanghai concerning Mr. W. D. Blatch, Mr. Edward Harris, Mrs. Elainer Hikton or Miss J. Marten.

It is not known which Mrs. Thompson has been killed as no initials were given, but it is believed to be Mrs. J. Thompson, wife of Mr. J. Thompson, of Babcock and Wilcox. Miss Ligouri was the daughter of Mr. A. Ligouri, of Lane, Crawford and Co., who was also killed.

PROFESSOR KILLED

Prof. Daniel B. Langdon was a famous naturalist, and Mrs. Mendelson was the wife of a member of the staff of Berrick Co., Ltd., Her child was also killed.

Miss Hilda Piggott is believed to be the daughter of Mrs. H. C. Piggott, 64, Bluff. No information is obtainable in Shanghai on Mr. F. Olsen.

Mr. Holstein N. Patek was the Polish Minister to Japan, and Mr. Herrera De Larosa was the Spanish Military Attache.

No local information concerning Mr. Charles Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Weathers, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Craing or Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burge, all reported killed, is obtainable.

Mr. G. W. Brockhurst, who with Mrs. Brockhurst is reported dead, was with Singleton, Benda and Company, and Mrs. Taylor was the wife of Mr. H. W. Taylor of the accounting firm of Harold Bell, Taylor, Bird and Co. Mr. Alan T. Knight was a member of the staff of the same firm.

Mr. D. Mackenzie, who with Mrs. Mackenzie is reported dead, was a member of the firm of Patten, Mackenzie and Co., exporters of silk piece goods. Mr. A. K. H. Virani was manager of the commission firm of Ahmed Abdul Karim Bros.

Mr. H. E. Gill was a member of the firm of Gill and Bros. of Tokio and made his home at the Yokohama Union Club, which was destroyed.

Among other well known people who have not been accounted for are Mr. Lennie Hayes, and Mr. and Mrs. George Warn, musicians, who went to Tokio and Yokohama some time ago to play.

The International General Electric Co. has received telegrams from Mr. Howard E. Page, managing director of the China General Edison Co., and manager in the Far East for the International General Electric Co. that he and his party including Mrs. Page, Miss Angel and Mr. J. W. Corkery are safe at Karuizawa.

Word has been received that Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Varnell, who have been in charge of the Seamen's Club in Yokohama, as secretaries of the International committee of the Y.M.C.A., are safe in Kobe. No word has yet been received directly from the twelve secretaries of the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A. who are engaged in Y.M.C.A. work in the cities of Japan. It is understood that at least a large proportion of this group were at Karuizawa and are therefore unharmed.

According to a letter received by Mrs. Roland Tomlinson from her sister, Mrs. Arthur Cabledu, no trace could be obtained of Mr. Cabledu at Yokohama. He was noticed to be wounded, trying to fight his way through debris.

Fears are entertained that he had been unable to get through the flames before they spread. Mr. and Mrs. Cabledu were living at 104-B, Bluff, at Yokohama and were for a long time at Shanghai.

Mr. Cabledu was the Yokohama buying representative of the well known Canadian house of Eatons. On the Kobe office being closed a couple of years ago, Mr. Cabledu was transferred to Yokohama.

Mrs. Cabledu writes from Kobe to say that she escaped with nothing but a night gown when her house collapsed. She is returning to Yokohama to make a search for her husband.

Bishop L. J. Birney received a telegram on Monday from Karazuwa, Japan, saying that Bishop Herbert Welch, resident bishop of the Methodist Church in Seoul, Korea, is safe.

The Charge d'Affaires at the Chinese Legation in Tokio has reported that all of his staff are safe, but the Legation has collapsed. All the documents have been saved, he reports and the Chinese staff are now staying at the German Legation. The report of the death of the Chinese Consul-General at Yokohama, Mr. Chang Fu, and five members of his family, has been confirmed.

Dr. and Mrs. Duncan Main of Hangchow, who were missing for several days, have now arrived safely in Kobe, and Dr. J. B. Fearn, who was in Miyanoshita, has returned to safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Doty and Mrs. Barnes, who were also at Miyanoshita, are also safe. Mr. Cole Watson and Mr. F. W. Hill of Findlay, Richardson and Company are at Kobe. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheen are at Karuizawa.

The Asiatic Petroleum Company has received information that Messrs. Aihman and Fuller of the Shanghai office and Miss Christen, Mr. West and Mr. A. F. Walmer of Wuhu, who were spending a holiday in Japan, are safe.

Parliament Will Vote Thursday On Presidency

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10—There were sufficient members present to form a quorum at the meeting of Parliament this afternoon, when it was decided to form an Electorial College on Thursday.

A COFFEE DISCOVERY

According to an Arabian legend, Hadji Omar, a pious dervish, was outlawed from Mocha in the year 1285. When almost dying of hunger in the wilderness, he roasted some of the small round berries he found growing wild in thickets. A few of the roasted berries accidentally fell into his drinking water, and thus coffee was discovered.

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Diary Tells Sufferings Of Miyanoshita Colony

A strikingly graphic description of the destruction at and nearby Miyanoshita, famous Japanese resort, and of the terrible journey of the foreign visitors thereabouts to the railway and eventual safety, is contained in the following diary, kept by Mrs. E. G. Whittaker, well-known to many Shanghai residents, who, with her husband, went through the ordeal. In addition to describing the terrors of the temblors, fire and hardships, Mrs. Whittaker refers to a number of people either resident in Shanghai or known here, including Captain W. I. Eisler and a Mr. Moore—presumably Mr R. L. "Dinty" Moore, formerly of the Astor House—who had been reported dead.

Hell's furies have broken loose!

What sounds rent the air—the screaming of human mortals—the rumbling of some great unseen but not unfelt power—the tumbling of rocks—the crashing of glass—the earth slipping away—a chaotic rush of forms—the grinding, twisting, toppling of timbers—the stumbling, falling, crawling of bloody bodies through debris — more rumblings—more swaying—more trembling—more crashing—the earth writhing and heaving—all so indescribable!

All this once, twice, oh, so many times!

It seems that for hours we've felt the force of some gigantic devilish monster ramming its head against the earth's surface, then tearing it asunder and scooping all into the black hole.

This must be hell! And yet we are praying that the good Lord has not deserted us.

With a ghastly, terrified look, blood-spattered, a man has run in from Hakone and tells us that it has collapsed entirely.

Two o'clock, and here I sit on the main doorway to the famous resort hotel at Miyanoshita. Outwardly I am as calm (I think I am) as I was two hours ago when all our packing was done and I came out on the porch of our little Japanese home with this exclamation—"All packed for tomorrow, but oh I'm so sorry to leave this wonderful place!" It's two hours later and the terrible jarrings—oh, what a severe one that was!—But I'm calm—oh, what a time to be a cheerful liar, when the earth is rending asunder. A smile is at a premium where everyone's look is terror and abject hopelessness. My nerves are so taut! But as I look up I see the sky beyond the mountains, only a small patch of blue through the heavy smoke—and, I find I'm praying!

More sounds—singing cicadas—gentle swishing of leaves in the breeze—the crying of babies—a moan—groans—more of earth's jars and rumbles, and above all the din is heard the screaming of prayers to God for mercy.

Soon three hours since that first fatal shock. The Japanese are rushing to and fro, bringing water, helping with bandaging the wounded. Many hysterical, some with resigned stoic expressions—running in answer to frantic calls—such hellish screams pierce the air—the chaos of the Inferno with its death agony cries.

As I look about at the ruins I can not help but think, what a wonderful spot—and what a fearful one!

We are continually swaying, rocking, jarring about. To the opposite are landslides, huge rents. What a small spot we are in—the pocket of these mountains—roads gone, wires down, motor cars burned—shut off from the outside world. Except for a sight of that patch of blue sky. We are indeed but a spot.

Too dark for more, unless the good old friendly moon shows up. By the light of a match we learn it's seven o'clock. It is the end of a day indescribable in my experience—and now to sit here and look up at that star, and to pray. God will have a night of work to answer all our prayers!

12 o'clock. Fire has again broken out. The Japanese are at the pump, yelling and shrieking like madmen.

The moon is up, more stars are out. Heavy rumbles—a boulder crashing through the trees. Forms all about in the moonlight start up like ghosts—most of us wrapped about in sheets or blankets. Kiddies crying for water, a baby wailing in the distance. A wee lantern light shone out for a few moments from the tea house on the opposite mountain. Low voices. A cricket chirping.

A Japanese runner has come up from Odawara, telling us of the terrible scenes below (another hard jar and everyone starting up—groans and screams—the smell of burning flesh is in the air) and that Odawara is destroyed by fire—tidal wave. Nearly twelve hours with 300 to 400 shakes—what a night of terror!

No communications with Tokio or Yokohama, we are told. Here comes another jar. We can hear that awful roar before the tremble. All wide awake, except the man who snores. He drank half a bottle of gin.

About 5 a.m.—Tossing all night on the crest of an earth wave. Getting dawn. Not any rest. One man slept! I am thankful for a snoreless husband.

Kiddies wanting to get up. Dizzy headaches, stiff joints. What a nightmare for us all.

Used by now to the jars and erupting of the earth people are trying to get to their rooms. Some have gone to the pipe of running water to freshen up a bit. What a mess—but what a greater one had this occurred at night.

7:30 a.m.—Runners getting ready to make a try for Yokohama. Messages are being hastily written. Across the valley someone is waving a white signal.

Had breakfast—a rice ball, a small fish and tea—but we are told to go slow on the rations. And now it's misting, I hear a crow cawing. Waiting! We're all waiting!

Suspense, restlessness, people standing about in bathing suits, kimonos, in hurriedly grabbed clothes.

The guest register has been secured. Capt. James is checking up. We hope all have been found.

I cannot recall now how we crawled through that toppling Japanese house, with the flying tiles and rocks rolling from above and earth opening below. Knee-deep through soft sand, stumbling headlong over the trembling boulders—down, down to where we heard voices, prayers in our hearts, and thankful! oh, so thankful—for are we not together, my Pal and I.

Four hours of this agony of suspense. But somehow that blue patch seems reassuring.

Another heave! No wonder everyone starts with added fright, eyes bulging out. Oh, will it ever stop?

Across that patch of blue a white bird flies—a yellow butterfly is flitting nearby—a voice is heard moaning. I want to go somewhere—but where?

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(Eastern News Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that Baron Sumitomo has contributed Yen 2,500,000 to the relief-funds.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 8.—The Queen has donated £250 to the Lord Mayor's Japanese relief.

(Reuter's Service)

Helsingfors, Sept. 8.—A fund will shortly be opened for the relief of distress in Japan.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 8.—It is reported from Moscow that the Russian Academy of Sciences is about to send an expedition to Japan.

Osaka, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency states that according to an announcement made by the Martial Law Headquarters, there are at present 135,000 homeless people living in Tokio and that these sufferers are being furnished with military tents and clothing by the Clothing Department.

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that the contributions that have up to the present been received by the relief-offices of the Osaka Mainichi and the Osaka Asahi have amounted to Yen 2,280,000 and that the names of the contributors cover 4 pages of the two papers, respectively.

Osaka, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports: Large quantities of foodstuffs have arrived at Shibaura, Tokio, and the general distribution of these provisions was commenced as from the 7th instant. Restoration works were also started by a large force of workmen with the help of troops.

Osaka, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports: The Bankers' Association of Osaka has tendered a proposal to the Minister of Finance and the President of the Bank of Japan that with regard to these bills, the payment of which are to be postponed, special relief measures be devised by the Government or the Bank of Japan.

Accordingly, the Bank of Japan has conveyed to its Osaka Branch some concrete measures for the accommodation of funds with the object of making the supply of funds universal throughout the country. It is understood that exchange banks will likewise be assisted by the Bank of Japan.

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that the Department of Education has announced that they are now devising measures for the relief of Chinese students.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—The following reply from the Japanese Press to the message of sympathy from the British Empire Press Union has been communicated to Viscount Burnham, the President, and Mr. Robert Donald, the Chairman, through Reuter's Agency:

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(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Sept. 10.—The Austral Mount takes 6,000 tons of food to Japan, including sufficient flour to serve 140,000 persons for two months, meat to serve 180,000 and fruit to serve 350,000 for the same periods, and also vaccines and sera with a view to probable outbreak of disease.

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Children Fought Their Way Through Ruins, Many Of Them Broken, Bleeding

Woman Tells Of Journey Through Zone Of Destruction At Yokohama; American Hospital Completely Destroyed

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Kobe, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Firth, the wife of Mr. George Firth of Samuel, Samuel and Company, told Reuter's special correspondent that she walked over the roof after the first shock.

"The last shock was awful. It was terrible to see children struggling through collapsed houses, many of them broken and bleeding, but it is strange to say that hardly any were crying. Thee Japanese looked more astounded than frightened.

"I wanted to reach the house and the children so I climbed the Bluff. The fire was now unspeakably awful. I cannot describe my feelings. The chief thing was to save the children. I saw the American Hospital totally destroyed. I did not notice the patients. My hands and face were scorched but I climbed and climbed.

"I passed a tumbled house where several Japanese were pinned underneath and others were trying to rescue them. One man's head was sticking out sideways. Apparently his neck was caught and he could not move. Finally I reached my collapsed house and the children who were scared but safe. The first thing I did was to have my entire wardrobe emptied into the street so that half naked women and children could take what they needed as they passed by."

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Nagasaki, Sept. 9.—Mr. Tom Nee, the manager of Messrs. Horne and Company, was caught at Miyanoshita and arrived at Kobe with only the clothes on his back. Everything was lost in the wreckage of the hotel.

It appears that he was followed by Nemesis. Mr. Nee was stripped in the Imperial Hotel fire 18 months' ago and lost his collection of curios. He collected again and distributed them to three centers of Tokio and Yokohama for safety but all three places wese burned. Mr. Nee is advised that all of Horne and Company's employees are safe.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Nagasaki, Sept. 9.—Mr. Marshal Martin, a British subject, described the death of the French Consul, M. Dejardin.

"I was in consultation with him together with M. Bickart, the French attorney I was flung into the compound and scrambled to my feet and ran a little way. M. Bickart overtook me. The air was yellow with acrid dust and I could harly breathe.

"There were awful sounds of crashing buildings, the roaring of the typhoon and the groaning of the earth. Recovering ourselves, we rushed back and found the consul crushed underneath heavy timbers and stones. We were making frantic efforts to extricate him when the second shock flung us aside. When that subsided we got the Consul out with the greatest difficulty. He was badly crushed, and though he was muttering unintelligibly, he seemed unconscious.

"M. Bickart had to see about the safety of his own family and I myself went to seek for help. Presently it was apparent that the Consul was dead. I put the body on a stretcher and then went to my own house. Fires were then starting and I had to make a long detour. On arriving I found my house lying on its side. I was considering salvage when three houses nearby burst into flames. I ran towards the Consulate and found myself encircled by flames.

"I took refuge in the British Naval Hospital compound. This soon became untenable and I was forced to descend the Bluff. The way was crowded by Japanese some of them frantically throwing children over and themselves following with such recklessness that they were crushed at the bottom. I reached the seashore.

"The dead and wounded all along the foot of the Bluff were ghastly. I negotiated the descent safely but it was necessary to get boats. Off shore there were three or four launches. A Japanese swam out but all of them were abandoned or short of fuel. Finally I managed to get a small boat and boarded the Dongola. The big steamers in the meantime had begun launching lifeboats. They did great work in the rescue."

Summer Resorts Are In Ruins

Some further details of the terrible experiences at Hakone were brought by Mr. A. G. Keil of Messrs. Illies and Co., who was one of the party of seven who made their way down to Mishima after the earthquake, says the Japan Chronicle. He states that the weather at the time was stormy, there being squalls of rain and a strong wind blowing. The first shock came without any warning, and at once threw the mountain resort into confusion. Mr. Keil himself happened to be out on the lakeside when the first shock came and was thus in the position of an eye-witness of the damage caused. The main part of the Matsuzaka Hotel collapsed immediately into the lake, and he has no doubt that there were several people killed in the ruin. From the other part many escaped though cut by glass and splinters. As the hotel was crowded the confusion was terrible. The other hotel, at Moto-Hakone, at which Mr. Keil was staying, also collapsed in the upper floors, but the lower part, which was built of concrete, remained standing although much shaken. Mr. Keil saw one lady killed there, the governess of the children of Mr. Andressen. She was killed outside the building by a falling beam. The two children of Mr. Andressen who were inside, had their legs broken. A curious phenomenon was noticed by Mr. Keil after the earthquake, and that was that the water in the lake receded about four feet and then rose again to its former level, although in a very muddy condition. There was no indication of the lake overflowing.

The shocks of earthquake continued every ten minutes, although slightly less severe than at first. Naturally they added to the terror into which all the visitors were thrown. Mr. Keil found his room at the Hakone Hotel only partly destroyed and managed to get a few things, and decided with his party to try to make their way to Mishima. They found the road very much destroyed, fallen in places and elsewhere with great fissures across it which the party had some difficulty in getting across. All the villages along the road from Hakone to Mishima were absolutely destroyed and through the interruption of the water channels there seemed to be a great lack of water.

The party left Hakone at 2 o'clock and reached Mishima at 7 p.m. On the way at 5 o'clock there occurred the heaviest shock that they had experienced since the first—so violent that it threw them off their feet and they had to lie down till it was over. Shortly after there was heard a rumbling sound like thunder. This undoubtedly was the sound made by the tidal waves on the coast. Assistance in carrying the luggage the party had rescued was difficult to get, but they finally got horses at one of the villages, and at Mishima, which was plunged in darkness but appeared to have suffered little damage, they succeeded in getting a motor-car which took them to Numazu. Earthquakes were still going on at intervals and all the people both at Mishima and Numazu were camped in the streets. The night was spent at Namazu in the open air, tatami being carried out and the party made as comfortable as possible, earthquakes continuing till 4.30 in the morning. An attempt was made to secure help for the people at Hakone, and although Hakone is outside Shizuoka Prefecture, it was learnt that at midnight a special train had arrived from Shizuoka conveying officials and police who set out in the direction of Mishima.

Before the party left Hakone a messenger had arrived from Miyanoshita, asking that assistance be sent to Miyanoshita, which had been entirely destroyed. It was evidently hoped at Miyanoshita that Hakone and not suffered and would be able to give assistance. Unfortunately Hakone had suffered as badly as Miyanoshita and no help could be rendered. It was learn that the Fujiya Hotel at Miyanoshita had been destroyed. Mr. and Mrs. Timm, who were stopping at Hakone, left to try to make their way down to Yumoto. It was of course, not then known that the earthquake was of such wide extension. No news has been heard of them since.

Mr. Keil states that the railway line is open one station beyond Numagu, but trains are only running to Numazu, from which place to Shizuoka and onwards the usual speed is maintained.

Favor Entrance Of Ireland In League

(Reuter's Service)

Geneva, Sept. 8.—In the presence of a large audience, including the members of the Irish delegation, the Committee of the League of Nations unanimously agreed to recommend the admission of the Irish Free State to the League. Many of the Committee, including Mr. Wood on behalf of Great Britain, the Dominions and India, congratulated the new State on its success, and declared that they were all convinced that it would prove a loyal member and a factor for peace.

Casualties In Yokohama 80 Percent Of Population

No Description Could Do Justice To Awful Havoc Wrought By Quake And Fire, Says Special Correspondent

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 9.—Reuter's Special Correspondent states that no description could do anything approaching justice to the awful experience at Yokohama, where the casualties are eighty percent of the total population. The shock there was much worse than at Tokio. Hardly a wall was left standing. The streets were liberally choked with dead and debris.

After the first shock the place was "flat," said an escaped American to Reuter's Correspondent. "It was hell let loose when the fire started. Then came half a cyclone with a gale blowing towards the sea. We rushed into the sea to escape a burning window and remained there up to our necks. God knows what the thousands of poor devils suffered who were maimed or pinned under the tumbled buildings."

There were some wonderful escapes. One foreign woman was in her bath on the second storey of a two-storey house. The place collapsed except the bathroom, which remained intact, enabling her to get out of the window on to the street where a passing Japanese gave her his kimono.

The most remarkable case was that of a house on the Bluff. The Bluff subsided, bringing the house down, but the house itself did not collapse till it had been minutes on the grass a hundred feet below. The inmates all had time to leave it.

Reuter's corerspondent understands that the Bank of Japan will offer financial help to bankers throughout the country. The Bank of Japan at Tokio holds unissued notes to the value of 200,000,000 yen and recovered notes to the value of 100,900,000 yen, a total of 300,000,000 yen, which the Bank is ready to place at the disposal of bankers to enable them to help the sufferers. At present bankers in Tokio are paying out daily sums not exceeding 100 yen, totalling an average of 4,000,000 to 5,000,000 yen.

The enforcement of the moratorium in Tokio is bound to dislocate financial operations in Osaka and elsewhere, and therefore the Osaka branch of the Bank of Japan has decided to render all possible assistance to private bankers, and thus to help commercial and industrial activities. This decision has not only inspired confidence but will materially help the work of reconstruction.

It is reported that the Government has already appropriated Y.9,600,000 yen for relief. The Government is prepared to pay out relief funds as required up to Y.503,000,000, representing the available surpluses. If necessary a further Y.120,000,000, representing the Mint profit from re-coinage will also be used.

In the course of an interview the Minister of Finance is reported to have said that it is possible that Japan will find it necessary to seek a loan from abroad for reconstruction.

Firms Move From Yokohama To Kobe

(Eastern News Agency)

A special despatch to the Eastern News Agency from the Osaka "Mainichi" reports: As a sequel to the complete destruction of Yokohama, foreign firms there are removing to Kobe and Osaka and that the Chamber of Yokohama is making investigations as to the matter of turning Shimidzu Port, Idzu, into an international commercial port in place of Yokohama.

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(Eastern New Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that the total sum of fire insurances requiring payment from Japanese companies concerned alone totals Yen 2,200,000,000 which shows eight times as much as the total sum of the capitals of the fire insurance companies concerned.

Judging from the above facts, it is in fact impossible for the fire insurance companies to pay the total sum insured, but as the sum of life insurances is comparatively small, the companies concerned are ready to compensate losses, though how much they have to compensate is not known as yet.

U. S. And Mexico Sign Convention

(Reuter's Service)

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Ten Per Cent Increase In Wages Embodied In Agreement

(Reuter's Service)

Harrisburg, Penn., Sept. 9.—The representatives of the miners and mine-owners in the anthracite fields have signed a two-years' contract, embodying the ten percent increase in wages and the eight-hour day, subject to the approval of the Miners' Convention, which will be held at Scranton on September 17. The men's leaders are confident that operations will be resumed on September 19.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, 9.—The United Mineworkers of America have published the first of a series of six articles supporting the allegation that Communist forces under the direct supervision of Moscow are seeking to overthrow all American Governments, and to establish a Soviet dictatorship by gaining control of Labor organisations by boring from within. It is alleged that Communists fomented the steel strike of 1919 and the switchmen's strike of 1920, aided the railwaymen's strike last year and committed many outrages.

(Reuter's Service)

Harrisburg, Penn., Sept. 8.—The anthracite miners and owners have reached an agreement to settle the main issues of the controversy which led to the recent strike. A number of minor points remain before the agreement can be considered definite but the leaders of both sides are confident that the mines will reopen in 10 days.

Report Ataman Semenoff Dead

Ataman Semenoff, the notorious Cossack leader, was killed in the earthquake at Yokohama, according to the Chinese press. The Cossack leader is known to have been in Yokohama, having gone there several months ago in an attempt to organise the old royalist and anti-bolshevik Russians now in Japan for another revolution against the Soviet. A number of Russians are reported to have been killed in both Tokio and Yokohama but so far it has been impossible to get through a list of names of those reported dead.

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Meteorological Reports

September 11, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.41
Sun sets today at 18.15

	SICCAWEI			
	Sept. 7.		Sept. 8.	
(inches)	29.85	29.87	29.88	29.91
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	+0.03	—0.03	—0.09	+0.06
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	+0.02	+0.02	+0.07	+0.04
Wind—direction	N	N	N	N
Wind—miles per hour	12.4	12.4	11.8	17.4
Temperature (Fahr.)	82°2	73°0	70°2	73°9
Humidity %	55	90	78	60
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	2	9	0	5
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	0.16	—	0.00	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT

September 7.	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.83	0.00	29.85
Temperature (Min. 68°4) (Fahr.) (Max. 84°2)	76°3	—1°0	76°0
Rainfall (inches)	35.39	0.16	35.95

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Hair-Trigger Treaties

The plan for promoting reduction of armaments by dividing Europe into three parts, each with its regional guaranties against aggression, which has just been presented to the temporary mixed commission of the League of Nations in Paris, has encountered a foreseen obstacle in the opposition of some states to the provision for immediate action says the Springfield Republican. In its original form the plan provided in case of aggression the power threatened should notify the council of the League, which would immediately decide whether the states of that region should use military, naval or economic force, or all three combined, for curbing the aggressor.

Apparently in the compromize form agreed to by Great Britain and France this check was removed, and the signatory powers would be called upon to act without waiting for the sanction of the League. The change evidently favors quicker action and also eliminates the possibility that the council of the League might not agree that action was necessary. For these reasons the altered form is more satisfactory to France, the reassurance of which is perhaps the main purpose. But for the same reasons the change alarms some other countries, the attitude of which Americans should be able to understand perfectly in the light of the controversy over article 10. Italy objects, and so do some of the smaller European states, which with great difficulty managed to remain neutral in 1914 and have no desire to be involved in 1924 or 1934.

Treaties of this character present some perplexing difficulties because they have two distinct aims which are not necessarily incompatible yet which are not easily combined in an ideal way. One aim is to protect a state which appears to be in special danger; the other is to prevent war by mobilising overwhelming material and moral forces against an aggressor. For the protection of a state against certain attack quick action is of course best; for the prevention of war, on the contrary, a more deliberate procedure may be advisable.

Instead of preventing war, a hair-trigger treaty may actually precipitate it. The facts in regard to the first alleged acts of aggression are difficult to ascertain, as is shown by the prolonged controversy over the responsibility for the beginning of war in 1914. As a rule nations going to war profess to be acting in self-defense, and for the time being it is difficult to controvert the plea. More than once nations desirous of peace have thus been dragged into war on false pretenses; what the small nations fear from the proposed change is that on the plea of the necessity of defending a state threatened with attack they may be dragged into what is essentially a war of aggression. Hence their insistence upon reference to the League of Nations.

To reconcile these opposed views may not be easy, yet they are not essentially inconsistent. One emphasises security and the other peace, but the best security is to be found in the maintenance of peace. In such guaranties is to be found as hopeful a way as any of approaching the problems of reducing the crushing burden of armaments and of lessening proportionately the risk of war.

Peking Seeks Cash For Election Cost

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—The Government is making desperate efforts to raise $10,000,000 before the Mid-Autumn Festival, $3,000,000 of the amount being required for election expenses.

Parliamentary circles report that a number of Members of Parliament are leaving Nanking and arriving here in time for the Presidential election.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,100 S.
Chartered	£19½
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$630 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$232 B.
Yangtsze	H.$27
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$130 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$477½ B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$130
Indo-China Pref.	H.$38½ B.
"Shell"	73/9
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 75½
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cone.	13/-
Raub	$5
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$152 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 90 B.
New. Eng. Works	Tls. 7.10 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5¼ B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 197
Hongkong Wharf	H.$159 B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 121½ B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 121 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12½
E-wo (pref.)	Tls 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5
Shanghai Cotton	79
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$214 S.
Green Island	$28¼ B.
Langkats	Tls. 32¼ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90 B.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$102 B.
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21¾ B.
Weeks	$13
Rubbers (local)	
Ajma	Tls. 7.45 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.60
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.27½ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 24 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.15 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.85 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.27½ B
Chemor United	Tls. 1.20 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7 B.
Cheng	Tls. 1.80 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.95 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14 B.
Kapaying	Tls. 12½ B.
Karan	Tls. 7.10 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.35 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.32½ B
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16 B.
Padang	Tls. 6.60 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.37½ B
Permata	Tls. 3.40 B.
Repah	Tls. 1.02½ B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.95 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1.27½ B
Semambu	Tls. 1.47½ B
Senawang	Tls. 1¼ B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.75 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4.90 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9½ B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.05 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.65 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 10¼ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3.65 B
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.77½ B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.87½ B
Tebong	Tls. 1.60 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 3.70 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 158 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 73½ B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, September 10, 1923

OFFICIAL

Tebongs Tls. 1.60 Cash
Tls. 1.70 Dec.
Chemors Tls. 1.30 Dec.
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.05 Sept.
Tls. 7.05 Cash
Senawangs Tls. 1.27½

UNOFFICIAL

Orientals Tls. 5.20 Sept.
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 13.00 Sept.
Chemors Tls. 1.22½ Cash
Tls. 1.30 Dec.

Money Exchange

Shanghai, September 10, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate 72.2875
Native Interest 05
Copper Cash 250.000
Shanghai Gold Bar 330
Bar Silver 31⅛
Bank rate of Discount 4%
Paris on London 81.42
New York on London 453½
London—
Telegraphic Transfer .. 3s. 1d.
Demand ..... 3s. 1⅛d.
New York—
Telegraphic Transfer ... 69¾
Demand 70

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 71⅝ = Tls. 140.10
@ exch. 72.5 = Mex. $193.24
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 2¼d. = Tls. 6.27
@ exch. 72.5 = Mex. $8.65

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR SEPTEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.90	@ 3/0⅛	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.29	@ 69⅝	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1233	Fr. 13.74
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 71⅛	Yen 1.57
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 227⅜	Rupees 2.58
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.87⅛	Ital. Lire 17.63

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Demand buying on America 71⅜
Demand selling on London 3/1⅜
Demand buying on London 3/2⅛

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BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 500,000 .... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.00 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.80 = 1 Tael
Marks 3,000,000 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 104.75 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 23.15 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 128.50 = 100 Fr. Francs

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	Saturday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	92.50
5th Year 6%	57.00	57.00
7th Year 6%	46.00	46.10
9th Year 6%	67.45	68.00
6% Consolidated	50.00	50.00
7% Consolidated	54.50	54.50
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
96 Millions 8%	21.15	21.40

Weather Report

Sept. 9.—The high pressures are covering the continent, Three cyclonic centers over the Pacific Ocean: one to the South of Oshima threatening Kiusiu: the other nearing slowly northern Luzon: the third one deepening by Guam. No telegram from Japan. Northerly winds along the China coast. Fine and cool weather in central and northern China. Rainy in the south.

Sept. 10—Very fine and cool weather. High and steady pressure. Light NNWly breezes. According to a Japanese wireless message, the center signalled near the Loochoos inclines westward, thus threatening the coast between Fukien and Chekiang.

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

September 10, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each down ⅛d. in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63½ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 453½.

Our official Sterling rate was dropped to 3s. 1d., the Gold Dollar rate unchanged at 69¾, the Yen rate raised to 70 and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market here was steady, particularly for near delivery. There were sellers of Sterling at 3s. 1⅞d. Septebmer, 3s. 1½d. October and 3s. 1⅝d. November-December.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 71 for near delivery and 70⅞ for forward and sellers of Yen at 68⅛ for near and forward deliveries.

Banks were quoting 3s. 2⅛d., 72½ and 1310 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

China sold silver in London on Saturday and India bought, the market closing steady. New York also report their market as steady.

Cotton Reports

In their weekly report on the silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:

Our last report was dated August 31.

White Silk.—Some 1,500 Piculs have been done for America at considerably advanced prices.

Tsatlee Filatures.—Red Dragon 1, 2, 3, Tls. 965 av. Kung Kee Mars. 1 Tls. 860.

Tsatlee New Style.—MHY Blue Dragon and Fiema Ex. 1, 2, Tls. 1,140 av.

Steam Filatures.—Some 3,000-4,000 Piculs have been settled for America and Europe at advances of from Tls. 80 to Tls. 100.

Yellow Steam.—Szechuen best Tls. 1,450-1,470. Shantung Best Tls. 1,400.

Tussah Filatures.—Best Tls. 820, No. 1 Tls. 730.

Owing to the destruction in Yokohama by the recent earthquake we have no cable from Japan.

EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI

From June 1 to date, 2,943 bales white and 2,875 bales yellow.

To London, 276 bales.
To France, 457 bales white and 318 bales yellow.
To Italy and Switzerland, 73 bales white and 8 bales yellow.
To America, 1,384 bales.
To India and Levant, 651 bales white and 2,529 bales yellow.
To Coast ports and Russia, 121 bales.

Steam filatures to Europe, etc., 4,887 bales and America, 4,345 bales.

Yellow steam, 813 bales.

Wild silk to Europe, etc., 448 bales and America, 2,111 bales.

SETTLEMENTS

Settlements for Europe, etc., White Silk 2,500 piculs.

Settlements for Europe, etc., Yellow Silk 3,500 piculs.

Settlements for America, White Silk 3,000 piculs and 9,000 piculs.

Stock in Shanghai, White Silk 500 piculs.
Yellow Silk 3,000 piculs.
Visible Supply for season to date 11,500 piculs.
Stock in Shanghai, Wild Silk 100 piculs.

Stock Exchange
Transactions

TODAYS QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, September 10, 1923
OFFICIAL

S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1919
Tls. 105.50
Shanghai Docks Tls. 90.50 Sept.
Kaipings "B" Tls. 21.25
Kedah Tls. 1.37½
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.90 Sept.
UNOFFICIAL
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.60 Sept.
S'hai Explorations Tls. 11.90
Tls. 12.00 Sept.
Tls. 12.50 Dec.
Tls. 12.50 Dec.
Oriental Cotton Tls. 5.10 Sept.
S. M. C. 6% Debs. 1922
Tls. 106.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 91.00 Sept.
Senawangs Tls. 1.27½
Langkats Comb. Tls. 32.25 Sept.
Tls. 32.25 Cash
Samagagas Tls. 0.97½ Sept.
Tebongs Tls. 1.60 Sept.
Kota Bahroes Tls. 1.40 Dec.
Senawangs Tls. 1.35 Dec.
Repah Tls. 1.07½ Dec.
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.93½ Dec.
Tebongs Tls. 1.65 Dec.
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 13.00 Dec.

WIRELESS PLANT AT WUCHANG IS INSTALLED

Wu Pei-fu Plans Radio Communication With Loyang

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Sept. 6.—The new antenna wireless outfit has just been installed for the Wuchang Wireless Station by order of General Wu Pei-fu who is planning to erect a wireless plant at his military headquarters at Loyang. The Wuchang station will shortly be ready to transmit wireless messages, but it is intimated that the wireless service will be maintained chiefly for the interest of Wu Pei-fu's party, although they announce that commercial messages will be accepted at the ordinary telegraph tariff rates.

The old wooden outfit of the Wuchang plant was destroyed by the heavy snow in the spring of 1922, and since then the wireless station has not been active. The new antenna consisted of two iron poles of about 300 feet high and was presented to the Ministry of War at Peking by the Marconi Company, Ltd. The outfit was lying idle in Shanghai for over a year, when Wu Pei-fu desired to rebuild the Wuchang wireless station and requested the War Ministry to let him have it for Wuchang. The same old wireless plant of 5 kilowatt will be used together with the new antenna.

A powerful wireless C. W. Plant is understood to have been ordered by General Wu Pei-fu through the Ministry of Communications from Germany, and the equipment is reported to be on its way to China.

When the new plant is installed, it is expected the Wuchang will have direct wireless communications with Manila, Japan, Honolulu and other radio centers on the Pacific.

Materials for the wireless station at Loyang have recently arrived in Hankow and will be shipped to Loyang very soon, according to a Chinese report. They were imported from America by a Hankow firm through whom the order was placed.

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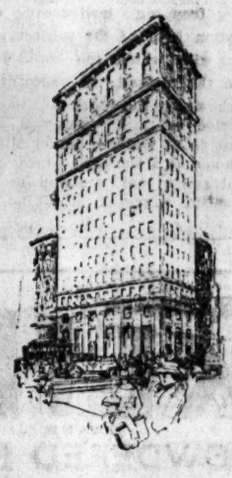

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Shanghai College Faculty Receives Notable Additions

The prospects for a successful year at Shanghai College are very encouraging with large and noteworthy re-enforcements to the Faculty body. The most important new additions are the following:

Professor C. S. Miao, Ph. D. of the University of Chicago, for the Education Department. Doctor Miao was formerly connected with Shanghai College in the Science Department, but comes now after a brilliant record as a student for many years in America. His address at the World's Baptist Convention held at Stockholm was recently cabled to Shanghai by Reuter and appeared in the local press.

Professor James B. Webster, Ph. D., who is just returning to his work in the college, is well known in China, having served here two terms and having taken a leading part in various educational activities. He has just brought out a new book, entitled, "Christian Education and the National Consciousness of China," which is published by E. P. Dutton and Co.

Professor Harold Stephen Bucklin, Ph. D., of Brown University, a man of long experience as a teacher and a writer on Sociology, a colleague of Doctor James Q. Dealy, who made such a noteworthy contribution to the solution of China's sociological problems when he was here a few years ago. Doctor Bucklin is a well-known authority in the same field in America, and not less distinguished than Professor Dealy, and his presence in China for one year undoubtedly will be greatly welcomed by all Chinese who are seeking the social welfare of their own country.

In this connection it may be mentioned with keen regret that Professor Dan Kulp, formerly the efficient head of the Sociological Department of Shanghai College, and organiser of the Yangtszepoo Social Center, has left the College and is now a professor in Columbia University. He has left a valuable legacy to China in the shape of an excellent text-book on "Civics" written expressly for China, published by Messrs. Edward Evans and Sons.

Other new professors and teachers for Shanghai College are Professor George B. Cressey, Ph. D., of the University of Chicago, for the department of Geology and Geography, in which he is a specialist; Mr. L. Trevor Helfrich, M.B.A., of Harvard University, for the department of Business Administration; Miss Frieda Frommel for the departments of French and Music; Mr. Lavoring Evans, B.A., of Yale University; Mr. William Ellison, B.A., of the University of Richmond; Miss Thomason, formerly a teacher in the Shanghai American School, who has many friends in Shanghai; these three all for the English department in the Middle School. Miss Sarah Priest, formerly principal of the North Gate Baptist Girls' School, comes to the college as Dean of Women.

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Besides the publications of Doctor Webster and Professor Kulp above mentioned, other members of the faculty have recently published books that are making a serviceable contribution to the educational needs of China. Professor Huizinga's "Modern Short Stories, with Notes, etc. for English Classes," published last year by the Commercial Press, has met a large demand, the first edition being sold out in less than four months and a second edition having already had a large sale.

Professors Mabee and Zee of the Science Department of Shanghai College have just brought out a second and greatly enlarged edition of "Laboratory Problems and Projects in General Science," published by Messrs. Edward Evans and Sons. This book contains eighty-eight experiments, and is written in Pei-hua, being designed primarily for a two years' course in general science for the second and third years of the Junior Middle School. The apparatus required for the experiments is inexpensive. The arrangement of the material is psychological rather than logical, with such topics as Health, Water, Air, Fire, Home Economics, Science in Chinese daily life.

Professor George R. Twiss, of the Ohio State University, specialist in Science Teaching and now engaged by the Chinese National Association for the Advancement of Education to make a survey of science teaching in China, has written an appreciative foreword for this book, from which the following paragraph may be quoted:

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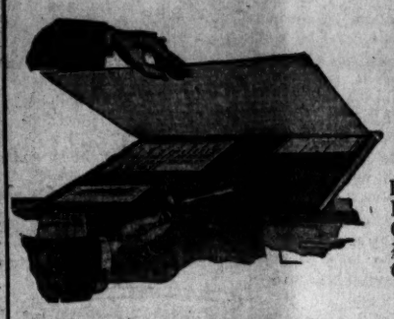

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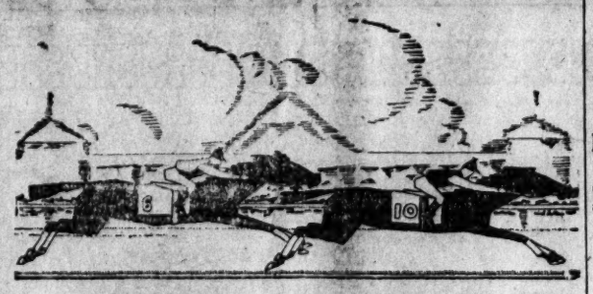

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WEATHER

Typhoon weather threatening some showers and N-Easterly squalls over our coasts. The typhoon located to the W. of the Loochaos will continue slowly and will raise rough weather between Northern Formosa and the Saddles, probably as far as the Yangtze mouth.

Japanese Behavior In Crisis

THE stories of looting that continue to trickle out of the earthquake zone in Japan should be accepted with the utmost reserve, for several reasons.

First of all they should be discounted out of a sense of fair play to the Japanese, who are face to face with the greatest calamity in their history—a load that is heavy enough for them to carry, in all conscience, without the additional burdens that are involved in aspersions on their honor as a people.

Secondly, these accusations should be accepted with suspended judgment for the reason that in this instance, as in all cases where the mass intelligence becomes distorted under the stress of overwhelming events, such rumors are born of hearsay; believed for the time because the people immediately involved are so engulfed in misery and grief that they are for the moment incapable of sifting evidence or drawing rational conclusions. The thing they are living through is so terrible that they are quite ready to listen and believe it. Some of their number, more excited and wrought upon than the others, wish to make it still more terrible.

Stories are told of the callousness and brutality of the crews of Japanese ships that were anchored in Yokohama harbor at the time of the disaster; allegations that they refused to give aid to refugees from the burning city, some of them swimming for their lives in the bay.

Frankly, these stories are difficult to believe, the quoted statements of "eye witnesses" to the contrary notwithstanding. They are the more difficult to accept by reason of the fact that never before has complaint been made against Japanese sailors that they were lacking in either courtesy or courage. On the contrary the newspapers frequently mention the heroism and self-sacrifice of Japanese shipping men in times of marine emergencies, giving them full credit for an appreciation of and an adherence to those traditions of seamen that are so well understood and so unselfishly upheld by sailors under other flags.

It does not seem reasonable, therefore, that members of this same Japanese brotherhood—a brotherhood whose members have given their lives for others on innumerable occasions—should make a sudden revert to the type of savagery described by anonymous narrators in recent despatches from the earthquake area.

Dozens of refugees, in describing their flight to safety, told of help received from Yokohama sampan men. Is it not likely that many of these refugees that were so aided were compelled to rely solely upon the spirit of self sacrifice and heroism inherent in these lowly men? Some of the refugees, by their own confession, had no money and few clothes when they reached the water front; yet they were taken to the liners far out in the bay. How could they have crossed that gap with water in front of them and a burning city behind them, except for the unselfish assistance of the Japanese boatmen?

And if these lowly toilers did not forget their manhood in the emergency how can such a lapse of memory be attributed to their brother sailors on the great ships in the harbor? If the sampan men were brave in the emergency why should the sailors on the ships a hundred times more familiar with danger, men into whose lives had been woven the terrors as well as the glories of the sea, be less brave?

Against these charges of looting, and of the shooting down in cold blood of defenseless foreigners we have the accounts of other refugees who were unstinted in their praise of the heroism shown by their Japanese friends and servants. Commendation of this nature will be found running like a thread through the Reuter despatches from Japan.

In common fairness to the Japanese, therefore, we should reject these stories of Japanese divergence from the universal ethical code until there is absolute and official proof to the contrary.

A Free French Lunch

(By a Paris Correspondent)

A handsome fellow, I thought him, as he paced the platform with the pale girl in mourning on his arm. But for the horizon blue and the flat, gold-braided cap, the tall, straight figure, the jolly pink face, and the springing tread, might all have been English. At the last moment he put his arms round his companion, kissed her, and jumped for the door of my carriage, whence he continued to wave good-byes until she was out of sight. Then he turned and saluted me, and after we had exchanged a hesitating look, he opened his paper and I returned to my book.

But at Pont l'Eveque I had to ask a question about a connection, and this opened conversation which drifted, as always in France, to the war and Germany; the Entente and the Ruhr; and to that wicked British, and that other wicked French statesman. He was a soldier de carriere, had fought through the war, spent some months on the Rhine, and was now in garrison at Rennes. On what concerns England and France he spoke with a well-informed but careful frankness, and there was only one English name that set him gesticulating. At a moment when it appeared he might depart from his perfect courtesy, I interrupted him:

"Did you ever fight with the English, monsieur?" I asked him.

He stopped short, his arms still raised in half-completed protest, and then dropping them with a laugh, said: "You are quite right—I deserved it." He rose, took his valise from the rack, and began to bring out various packages. "Well, yes," he went on; "I have eaten and drunk, worked and fought with them. But did you believe I could ever think of them otherwise than as gallant soldiers and good comrades? Ah, if it only depended on them now! But what will you? France is threatened; she fears the time when her enemy will be strong enough to attack her; she wants to forestall the evil day; to make it possible to defend herself when it comes. If she cannot have her friends with her, she would like at least to feel that they understand her anxieties and find them natural. Now, your Mr.—— But (he broke off gaily) I am sure you are hungry. Let me invite you to share my launch."

I excused myself and insisted, but so did he. Spreading a napkin on the seat, he took from his parcels first half a metre of bread, thin slices of ham and veal, then a packet of cakes, two apples, a bottle of white wine and a glass, and we were ready to lunch. "But first let us drink to the Entente," he said. He filled the one glass, held it out to me, and watched me, smiling, while I drank to him, and to France. Then he followed, lifted the glass high and pledged the Entente, my health, and our next meeting.

How The French Manage The Seine

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

This is not by a thousand the first time that the way the French manage the River Seine in Paris has been held up for the admiration of foreigners, especially Americans. It cannot thus be held up too often. It is one of the things that make the French capital the queen of cities.

To see how a river can impart dignity to a city is only necessary to take a look at the East River and the Harlem River in their passage through New York. I admit that maybe neither of them could be as easily managed as the Seine is. The Paris rivers have not troubled by tides; though, on the other hand, they are sometimes troubled by floods.

But the main thing is the inspiration—the human element. If you haven't the eye for beauty, if the artistic instinct is not a part of the bread-and-butter of your life, but only a jar of jam from which you take a spoonful as a kind of ornamental round-up to your meals, you will never create a city like Paris. Its planners and builders have not fallen down and worshipped at the feet of the god of "Business." If the Seine has ever arisen in their way they have made him stand back and keep his proper place. And Paris hasn't lost anything by this defiance. She could never have been herself without it.

Of course the Seine is not so large as the East River—which is in fact, a tidal channel and not a river at all—but it is as large as the Harlem which is at least partly a real river. The Seine is navigable, but they don't let vessels with high masts pass through Paris. The Seine is one of her streets, and city streets are no place for ships, or railroad trains.

The Seine is bordered with beautiful stone quays and solid walls, as a street is bordered with sidewalks and curbs. Its many bridges have their solid floors almost flush with the level of the banks. Great avenues, a hundred or two hundred feet wide in many places, tree-shaded and washed and swept every morning, bound the shores for miles. If the Seine is thus tamed, civilized, and embellished to make it worthy of being part of Paris, it is, at the same time, respected on its own accounts. By giving it room and breathing space they have kept it attractive. Outside of Paris it is one of the most beautiful rivers in the world and when it enters the city it is not turned into an offence, as, I am sorry to admit, it would if it had the misfortune to run through a big American town.

You can't make a city a center of civilization in any high sense simply by constructing fine and ornamental buildings, wherever the utilitarian spirit may leave room for them, and planking down big museums of art and science in odd places, here and there. You must have the buildings, and the museums—but only as parts of a consistent whole.

Your entire city must express civilization by showing to every visitor, without the need of any guidance or comment whatever, the fineness of the spirit.

The Seine in Paris is trained in consonance with the Louvre, the Sorbonne, the Institute, the great churches, the schools of art, the magnificent avenues, and that general tone of fine civilisation which makes that famous city a cynosure for the world. In consonance with what have the East River, the Harlem River, Hand the Chicago River been trained!

I do not, however, mean to suggest that our cities, transited by rivers, should try to do just what Paris has so superbly done. In most cases, owing largely to local circumstances, that would be impracticable. Big Business would not permit it, anyway. Even now attempts are made, under one pretense or another, to turn parks and other reserves that have been withdrawn from utilitarian uses, to some purpose of gain and pecuniary profit. Between the intensely "practical" man and the aesthetic idea there is a fog of non-comprehension that the former can never penetrate. He was born for the world or the senses, and scoffs at any other.

Paris and its Seine appeal to the senses, it is true, but through them they reach the higher planes of the mind.

:-: Correspondence :-:

TRAM COMPLAINTS

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir:—May I trespass upon your valuable space to relate an incident which occurred yesterday afternoon?

It was quarter past six when I returned home from the Garden Bridge by the tramcar No. B 96 of Route 7. As soon as I had mounted the car, a foreign inspector (whose number I did not know because there was no number on his cap) who stood near the entrance, pushed me very rudely and said "Tsing-che, tsing-che," (which means "going in"). Seeing that there was a big crowd in the tramcar and no space for me to stand, I had to refuse to do so and stood by him. Then he pushed me once more. At the same time, a conductor came to me for the fare. Having possessed a season ticket, I answered the conductor "Season." But the inspector wanted me to show it. I did so. But he took it from my hand and threw it on the floor. When I was picking it up he took his pen and copied the number of my ticket. Since I had at that time something to do at home, I did not say anything with him. But in regard to this matter I want to know (1) why the inspector refused to have me stand by him? Does the company want to enforce the regulation of limiting the number of passengers or does the inspector not want a Chinese near him? Again why is there no number on the caps of the foreign inspectors as those on the caps of Chinese conductors, inspectors and drivers, by means of which we can identify them when they have done us wrong? Lastly, I want to know by what right an inspector could throw one's season ticket on the floor and insult the passenger by pushing him rudely.—Yours very truly.

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Something To Think About

By Bruno Lessing

HUMOR

A distinguished English lady whose forte is meddling in other people's affairs, recently wrote a sensational book of revelations about politics and society in her native land. In it she tells this anecdote to show how clever her husband was:

"How do you wish to be shaved this morning?" his barber asked.

"In silence," he replied.

A clever and amusing story. Someone has called attention, however, to the fact that it was originally told of a Greek philosopher, about 500 B. C.

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The only reason for commenting upon this incident is the fact that the lady (Mrs. A.) is so very distinguished. And for the purpose of encouraging others who are less distinguished, to tell, over and over again, all the funny stories they know, without the fear that someone heard it before.

The quality of humor, like that of mercy, is strained: It is a gentle gift of the gods to alleviate the humdrum and tedium of life.

Nothing is so invigorating and so refreshing as a hearty, spontaneous laugh. What matter if the story be an old one? Laugh at it again. The person who is constantly looking for originality in humor, who is eager to trace each story to its source and who blurts out the information that "he heard it before," is an unconscionable pest.

If you hear a story about a man from Salt Lake City, keep the secret to yourself and let others enjoy their laugh. Principally the one who tells it. It is good policy and good manners.

If you were in a position to make an exhaustive inquiry into every funny story you heard, you would probably find that Tutankh-amen heard them all. Substitute a chariot for an automobile, a Babylonian slave for a negro or an obelisk for the First National Bank building and you will find that most humorous stories go back to the dawn of history.

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A person who makes you laugh ought to be encouraged. There are many souls, gifted with delightful personality, who have the story-teller's knack of creating merry laughter. Why rob yourself of the moment's enjoyment by taking the machinery apart?

The really great comic artists of the country,—Swinnerton, McManus, DeBeck, Tad, Knerr and Sterrett—do not lie awake at night, worrying about the originality of their output. Their genius transmutes the oldest funny material into a new product, coloring and enlivening it with the humor of their own personality. They make millions laugh. Why try to spoil it all by insisting that you heard it in Philadelphia, five years ago?

Don't be a kill-joy.

War In Hunan Hinges On Gen. Wu's Decision

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Sept. 6.—The Chamber of Commerce and two other organisations in Changsha have telegraphed General Tan Yen-kai, who was already hailed as the Civil Governor of Hunan when he arrived at Hangchow with credentials from Generalissimo Dr. Sun Yat-sen of Canton, to come to Changsha at once. General Lou Ti-ping is now guarding the southern frontier of Hunan with his troops fearing that Chao Heng-ti may come back with reinforcements.

General Chao has not given up Hunan, and on the contrary is working with might and main to stir up a stiff military opposition to Tan Yen-kai. He has ordered Hsia Tou-ying's troops to occupy Yochow, which is destined to be the basis of his future operations against the new administration in Changsha.

General Wu Pei-fu's attitude with regard to the Hunan question is not clear, and the whole question, whether there will war or peace, seems to hinge upon Wu's decision.

Bodies Are Cremated On Streets; Leave Given To Bury Foreign Dead

British Resident Tells Of Terrible Experiences Of Foreign Colony At Hakone; Many Remarkable Escapes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 9.—Reuter's Special Correspondent states that the death roll at Yokohama among foreigners would have been greater but for the hundreds who had crowded to the Empress of Australia, while she was standing at the quay ready to depart.

At noon, just when she was due to leave, the first shock occurred. There was a rush for her by the big crowds, most of whom were fortunately able to board her. The quay subsequently sank and was partially submerged and in places collapsed. Soundings taken yesterday show that the sea bottom in the harbor is several feet lower.

At a meeting of American, British and Japanese officials on board an American warship permission was granted to bury the foreign dead, but only after cremation. All the Japanese dead have been cremated on piles of wood in the streets of Tokio and Yokohama. The foreign dead are being burned in the same way.

The inmates of the Marunouchi Building, one of the highest in Tokio, had lucky escapes. The huge structure swayed but did not come down. It is believed that it is now leaning somewhat. The following story was told to Reuter's Correspondent by a creditable person. When the first shock occurred, a dentist in one upper storeys of this building was attending to a patient's tooth.

Both decided that it would be better to get to the ground floor quickly. By the time they reached it the building had steadied itself, and, feeling that they had disturbed themselves unduly, they decided to return to the dentists room and finish the operation, which they did in total ignorance of the catastrophe that had happened around them.

The terrible experiences of the small band of foreigners who were at Hakone were described to Reuter's Correspondent by a prominent British resident.

"At a minute to twelve," he said, "there was a sound like the very heaviest thunder. Then came the most dreadful earthquake shock imaginable. At the first sign of a tremor my wife and I rushed for the open door, but as we reached it the full shock was upon us, and we were literally pitched across the road. We both got up together. Then the second shock came and threw us again to the ground. Great fissures appeared, the ground seeming to tear itself open all over the place but not deeply.

"We half crawled, half walked to a small plateau where our children were, and remained there while shock succeeded shock for four hours. Finally we camped there. The children were utterly panic-stricken for the first few hours, but during the last hundred or so of shocks (there were over 700 in 48 hours), they didn't mind in the least. Indeed they played through them without noticing them. It was the most appallingly awful time I've even spent."

MADSEN KILLED

The Danish painter, Mr. Juel Madsen, was killed at Kamakura.

The report that the American Ambassador and his wife are dead is incorrect. It is officially announced that they are safe. The only casualty amongst the American Embassy staff was Miss Babbitt.

structure, which collapsed. One minute the house was there intact. The next it dissolved before my eyes. Fissures opened in the earth and it seemed that the whole side of the hill above was sliding upon me. The neighboring house with a rock foundation stood. The first shock lasted perhaps three minutes, though it seemed hours. The children were penned beneath the wreckage but were not hurt. I had time to get them out before the second and more severe shock. There were at least five shocks within 48 minutes and then at intervals through the whole afternoon and night. I took the children into the garden, which soon filled with Japanese scurrying in every direction, carrying bundles, but they were all calm and unexcited.

"In the meantime Yokohama had become a roaring furnace below the Bluff, with explosions now and then, evidently of underground gasoline tanks. Nothing burned on the hill. The fire stopped at the gate of the temple just below. We lay all night in the garden on mattresses saved from the wreckage.

"The first shocks were accompanied by a lowering like a heavy wind, though the day had been beautifully quiet. On Sunday morning there was a beautiful sunrise. The flames seemed to have become subdued but suddenly they started afresh. Within an hour the air was full of flames and smoke again. The flames seemed to jump and attack detached houses particularly. Nothing escaped."

Rescues Daughter But Is Killed In Attempt To Save Life Of Son

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Nagasaki, Sept. 9.—A Canadian, Mr. A. Ardacke, was passing the ruins of the British Consulate at Yokohama immediately after the earthquake when he saw a man struggling in the ruins and went to his assistance. The man proved to be the British Vice-Consul, Mr. Boulter. He was badly injured about the face and head.

A mining engineer, Mr. Purington, and his son were killed but his wife and daughter were saved. Mr. Purington carried his daughter to safety and returned to rescue his son who was caught in the wreckage, but both were buried under falling walls.

Captain Davis James, a British resident, organised a party including 50 coolies and made two trips to Miyanoshita. He conducted refugees overland, the coolies carrying those unable to walk.

SAW ROOM FALL

Mrs. W. H. C. Weippert, the wife of the Commissioner of Customs at Wuhu, who was spending the summer at an hotel in Miyanoshita, was among those rescued by Captain James, with her three small children. She was standing at the desk in the hotel when the first shock occurred. She rushed to the music room, where the children had been playing, but was told that they were in the garden, and so she rushed thither.

From the top of the garden "I saw my room fall. The swimming pond in the garden dried up in two minutes. There were shocks all afternoon. At four o'clock I ventured back to the ruins and picked up a few things. Then I took the children to the hillside, where we slept for two nights. The third day it rained in torrents and we went back to the billiard room of the hotel until the arrival of rescuers. I couldn't find help to carry the children. Captain James arrived on Thursday. We were the first to depart, together with Mrs. Gollob and her three boys and Mr. Cochran and a party of four or five. We started at six in the morning, the coolies carrying the children. At Oshinoya we got horses and fresh coolies. We reached Mishima at six o'clock in the evening and boarded a refugee train. We had to sit in the corridor."

CHILDREN BRAVE

The most remarkable feature was the patience and bravery of the children, who never complained though wet, tired and hungry.

Mr. George Firth of Messrs. Samuel Samuel and Company was lying slightly ill at his home beyond the Bluff at Yokohama when his room careened and his house actually leaped from its foundation. He staggered to the door amid falling window frames. His two children of 18 months and three years were playing with Japanese children in a detached

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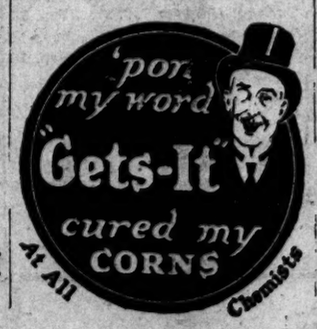

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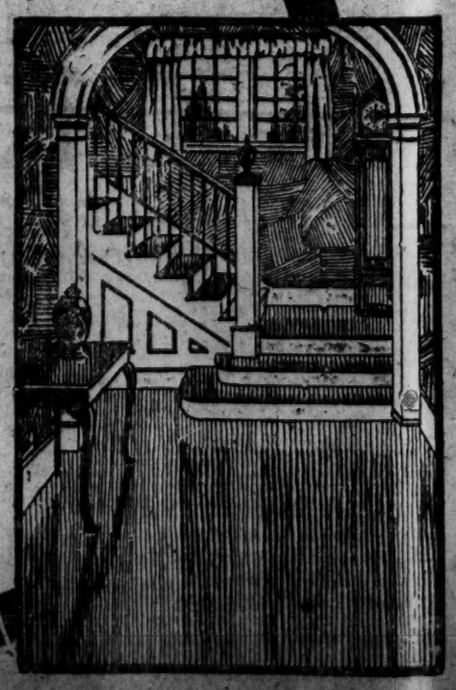

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Information For Mariners

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The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Fooshing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Thursday.

The C.M. ss. Kwangtah left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Haean will leave Foochow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is expected to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai on Friday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Newchwang on Saturday.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Gracchus left Calcutta on September 4 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about September 25.

The B.I. s.s. Takada, from Calcutta, left Amoy on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia will leave Shanghai for Bombay via ports next Thursday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 1 p.m.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Kaiyan was due to leave London on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on October 16.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Bellerophon left Singapore on Sept. 21 and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong today.

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Colombo on August 31 and is due in Shanghai on September 7.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telamon left Singapore on September 7 and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eipenor left Singapore on Saturday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on September 17.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon is due to leave Yokohama this morning and will arrive in Shanghai next Saturday.

The P. & O. s.s. Kaiyan left London on September 6 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 16.

The P. & O. s.s. Karmala, from London, left Hongkong at 6 o'clock Saturday morning, and is due in Shanghai at daylight today. The steamer will dock at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jena is due in Shanghai from Portland tomorrow, and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on September 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia was due to leave Vancouver on Thursday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on September 21.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft was due to leave San Francisco on Thursday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on Sept. 26.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley, from Seattle on August 30, should arrive at Yokohama today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sept. 16.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson will leave Seattle today, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 28.

The S. & B. s.s. West Cactus is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 21, and will sail for Hongkong and Singapore on Sept. 25.

The S. & B. s.s. Mursa is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 29, and will sail for Manila direct on October 1.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Wawalona is due in Shanghai from Portland on September 16 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila the following day.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Montague is due in Shanghai from Portland on October 1 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on October 3.

The O.S.K. s.s. Atlas Maru will sail for New York via Panama at 10 o'clock this morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln will leave Shanghai for San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports next Sunday.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson, which was due in Shanghai from san Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports tomorrow, might be delayed owing to the relief work in Japan.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant will sail from the China Merchants' Central Wharf for Seattle via Japan ports at 9 o'clock this morning.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Luenho for Wuhu: Messrs. P. Kohn, L. G. J. W. Schmitto; for Kiukiang: Misses Boly, Pitcher; for Hankow: Mr. F. B. Comotock.

Per I-C. s.s. Fausang for Weihaiwei: Mr. J. W. Moocher; for Chefoo: Mrs. Duff and child; for Tientsin: Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Gregg, Miss Chisholm, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Matheson, Mr. J. H. Grant.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinwah for Tientsin: Messrs. Sullivan, Robertson.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangshun for Hankow: Miss A. Carneiro, Mrs. B. A. das Caldas and two children.

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung for Hankow and ports: Misses Chatham, Bennett, Jarvis, Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Boyling, Mrs. W. H. C. Werppert and child, Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Bliss and child, Messrs. Ewing, Golding, H. G. Thompson, Budzynsky, W. F. Lowell, S. V. Boxer.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru for Kobe: Miss M. Arab, Messrs. E. Boyle, C. Correa, G. C. Howard, Miller, E. C. Richardson.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Taft	Aug. 4
Asama	Aug. 12
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 10
President Cleveland	Aug. 18
Korea Maru	Aug. 23
President Pierce	Sept. 1

FOR VANCOUVER

N. D. de Fourviere	Aug. 3
Empress of Russia	Aug. 12
Empress of Australia	Aug. 27
Canadian Highlander	Aug. 29
Empress of Asia	Sept. 8

FOR SEATTLE

Eldridge	Aug. 1
Yokohama Maru	Aug. 4
Harold Dollar	Aug. 5
President McKinley	Aug. 9
President Jackson	Aug. 17
President Jefferson	Aug. 29
Crosskeys	Sep. 4

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West Jessup	Aug. 6
West O'Rowa	Aug. 20
Pawlet	Sept. 1
West Keats	Sept. 2
Hannawa	Sept. 5

FOR NEW YORK

City of Madras	Aug. 9
Talthybius	Aug. 2
Egremont Castle	Aug. 11
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 16
Alaska Maru	Aug. 14
Africa Maru	Aug. 21
City of Boston	Aug. 21
Moorish Prince	Aug. 27
Antilochus	Aug. 30
William Penn	Sept. 1
Eelbeck	Sept. 4
Hawaii Maru	Sep. 5
Lisbon Maru	Sept. 7
Esther Dollar	Sept. 9

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Sarpedon	Aug. 1
Khiva	Aug. 4
Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
Laomedon	Aug. 14
Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 18
City of Dunkirk	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
Durban Maru	Aug. 26
Agamemnon	Aug. 27
City of Glasgow	Aug. 29
Patroclus	Aug. 31
Macedonia	Sept. 4
Eurybates	Sept. 7
Fushimi Maru	Sept. 8

FOR HAMBURG

Gleniffer	Aug. 4
Scheer	Aug. 15
Goettingen	Aug. 16
Muensterland	Aug. 19
Matsuye Maru	Aug. 29
Saparoea	Sept. 6

FOR COPENHAGEN

Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR ROTTERDAM

Saleier	Aug. 5

FOR BARCELONA

Isla de Panay	Sept. 4

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta	Aug. 3
Trieste	Sept. 1

FOR MARSEILLES

Angkor	Aug. 3
Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13
Chambord	Aug. 17
Paul Lecat	Aug. 31

FOR INDIA

Soudan	Aug. 3
Alipore	Aug. 17
Kutsang	Aug. 31
Janus	Sep. 4

Passengers Arrived

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping from Chinwangtao: Mr. and Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Evan Morgan, Mr. P. A. W. Smith.

Per C.M. s.s. Klangfoo from Hankow and ports: Mr. and Mrs. Kiloh, Miss Stephens.

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Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. T. H. Lavies, Chang, P. P. Chao, Misses Coffin, P. L. Parker, three sisters.

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang from Hankow and ports: Mr. F. W. Hutchison, Misses T. Gutierrez, Parry, Mrs. Turnbull and two children.

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Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on September 4, 1923.

Butcher's Meat

Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	,,	18-30
Pork	,,	30-40
Veal	,,	24-35

Fish

Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	,,	25-30
Mandarin	,,	50-60
Mackerel	,,	25-30
Pomfret	,,	25-30
Salmon	,,	25-30
Samll		none
Soles	,,	30-45
Whitebait	,,	30-40

Game Poultry and Eggs

Dear	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	,,	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	,,	none
Quail	,,	none
Snipe	,,	18-20
Teal	,,	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	,,	none
Duck	,,	60-90
Wild Pigeon	,,	none

Fruit

Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	,,	10-18
Banana	,,	7-8
Chestnuts	,,	20-22
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per doz.	5-8
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	none
Lemons	,,	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	,,	$1.00-01.20
Peaches	per lb.	14-16
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	,,	20-30
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	8-10
Peeboes	,,	none
Plums	,,	10-14
Pumeloes	each	25-30
Pineapples	,,	none
Strawberrjes	per lb.	none
Walnuts	,,	8-10

Vegetables

Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Broad Beans	per lb.	10-12
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	,,	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	5-6
French Beans	,,	15-18
Peas	,,	none
Tomatoes	,,	6-10
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	,,	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$1.80-$2.00
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8

Grain and Flour

Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	,,	$3.00
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.10
Barley	,,	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$13.80

Milk

Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	,,	$0.25

Fuel

Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
House Coal	,,	17.25

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Elpenor, *Liverpool*	Sep. 17
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Sep. 16
Fooshing, *Hongkong*	Sep. 13
Glenlyce, *London*	Sep. 13
Haean, *Foochow*	Sep. 14
Hakuai Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 15
Hsinfung, *Tientsin*	Sep. 13
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Sep. 12
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Sep. 11
Hakuai Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 15
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	Sep. 13
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Sep. 16
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	Sep. 17
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Sep. 15
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Sep. 14
Karmala, *London*	Sep. 11
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Sep. 11
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Sep. 14
Kumano Maru, *Osaka*	Sep. 12
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 15
Kwangtah, *Hongkong*	Sep. 12
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 11
Liangchow, *Hongkong*	Sep. 12
Loksang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 11
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Sep. 13
Pres. Lincoln, *Hongkong*	Sep. 18
Pres. McKinley, *Seattle*	Sep. 16
Pres. Wilson, *S. Francisco*	Sep. 12
Sakaki Maru, *Tsingtao*	Sep. 12
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Soochow, *Tsingtao*	Sep. 15
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 17
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Shengking, *Hankow*	Sep. 14
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 12
Taisang, *Hongkong*	Sep. 13
Taian Maru, *Kobe*	Sep. 13
Taksang, *Newchwang*	Sep. 15
Takada, *Calcutta*	Sep. 12
Takeshima Maru, *Kobe*	Sep. 18
Tatung, *Hankow*	Sep. 15
Taiyo Maru, *S. Francisco*	Sep. 15
Telamon, *Liverpool*	Sep. 15
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Sep. 13
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Sep. 12
Waishing, *Hongkong*	Sep. 16
Wawalona, *Portland*	Sep. 16
Weser, *Hamburg*	Sep. 17
Woosung, *Hankow*	Sep 17
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AMBOISE	27th July	4th Sept.	28th Sept.
CORDILLERE	10th Aug.	16th Sept.	12th Oct.
ANGERS	24th Aug.	30th Sept.	26th Oct.
CHILI	7th Sept.	14th Oct.	9th Nov.
PORTHOS	21st Sept.	28th Oct.	23rd Nov.

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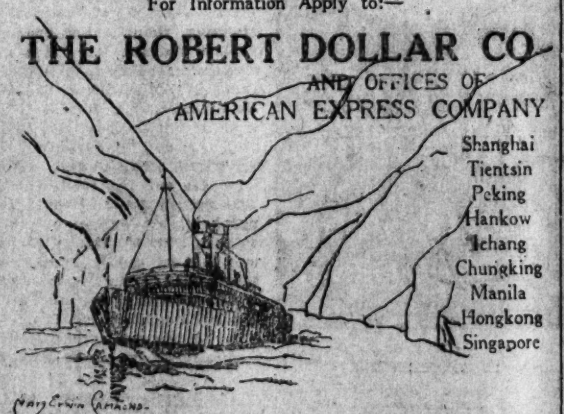

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FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Sep. 11 9.00 *Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Lcl. O. Line
Sep. 11 — New York	Atlas Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 15 — Portland, Ore.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 16 — New York	Bellerophon	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 17 — Portland, Ore.	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 18 — Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sep. 18 — San Francisco	Siberia Mara	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 18 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 20 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 20 — New York	C. of Bagdad	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 22 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 22 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sept. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 26 — Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 26 — New York	Celtic Prince	Br. Furness
Sep. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep 30 — New York	Perseus	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 3 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Oct. 3 — Portland, Ore.	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 4 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 5 — Seattle	Arizona Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 6 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 13 — San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 16 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 20 — Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Oct 27 — San Francisco	†P. Celeveland	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 28 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 29 — San Francisco	Tenyo M	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 3 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 9 — San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 10 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Sep. 12 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 13 — Moji, Kobe, Y'hama	Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 16 — Kobe, etc.	Taian Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 18 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Hakuai Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 20 — Kobe	Amazon Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 21 — Kobe, etc.	Takeshima M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

Sep. 12 — Hamburg, etc.	Lycaon	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Glensanda	Br. G.L.E.A.
Sep. 13 1.00 Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 15 — Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 — Lonon, etc.	C. of Norwich	Br. J. M. & Co
Sep. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Albert B. Voeg	Ger. H. S. Linie
Sep. 16 — Marseilles	†Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 18 — London	†Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 20 — Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 22 — London, etc.	Mishima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 23 — Hamburg, etc.	Pembrokeshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Sep. 24 — Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Lima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 27 — Liverpool	Lyons Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 28 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 30 — Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S
Oct. 2 — London	†Mantua	Br. M.M. & Co
Oct. 2 — Rotterdam, etc.	Kertosono	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Oct. 4 — Rotterdam, etc.	Agapenor	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 11 — Hamburg, etc.	Phemius	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 12 — Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Elpenor	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 16 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 20 — Liverpool	Memnon	Br. B & S
Oct. 20 — London	Hakusan M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Oct. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Atreus	Br. B.& S.
Oct. 26 — Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 30 — London—	†Caledonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 1 — London	Teiresias	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 11 — Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 13 — London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 23 — Marseilles	Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Sep. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 3 — Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 1 — Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Sep. 11 4.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 11 11.00 *S. H'kong, C'ton	Chekiang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 400 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 12 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 noon H'kong, C'ton	Kanchow	Br. B. & S
Sep. 12 — Hongkong, Canton	Kwanglee	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 12 noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Shansi	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Yusang	Br. J. M. & Co
Sep. 13 noon A. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 14 — Hongkong	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sept. 14 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 15 — Formosa	Kohoku M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Sept. 15 — Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 15 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 16 D.L. A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 17 — Hongkong, Manila	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 18 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 21 — Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Sep. 21 — Hongkong	Arizona M.	Jap. O. S. K.
Sep. 25 —Hongkong, Manila	W. Cactus	Am. S. & B.
Sep 28 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 1 — Manila	Mursa	Am. S. & L.
Oct. 3 — Hongkong, Manila	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 7 — Hongkong	E. of Australia	Br. C. P. S.
Oct. 10 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Oct. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Oct. 13 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Sep. 11 — Tientsin	Hsinwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 11 11.00 *Antung	Shansi	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 D.L. Tsingtao	Tungsning	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 12 noon Newchwang	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 12 — Vladivostok	Shinyue	Chi. S. H. & Co.
Sep. 12 11.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 12 — Tientsin	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 12 — Newchwang	Kaho	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 13 D.L. Newchwang	Loksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 13 — Tientsin	Kwangping	Br. K.M.A.
Sep. 13 noon N. Antung	Hanyang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13 3.00 Tsingtao, Dalny	Sakaki M.	Jap. O. K. K.
Sep. 14 3.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 1.00 Tsingtao	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 — Dairen, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Sep. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Lueny!	Br. B.& S.
Sep. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Saiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Sep. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 16 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kwiyu	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	D. L.—DAYLIGHT	

M. N.—MIDNIGHT
†CARRYING MAIL.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	7 a.m.	P. Grant	Seattle	Sep. 28
Sep. 18	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln	S. Francisco	Oct. 7

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	8 p.m.	Lycaon	Marseilles	
Sep. 13	11 a.m.	Sicilia	Marseilles	Oct. 20
Sep. 14	11 a.m.	A. Lebon	Marseilles	Oct. 19
Sep. 18	1 p.m.	Dongola	Marseilles	Oct. 20

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Changchun
Newchwang	Today	9 p.m.	Kaho
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Tungshing
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Tingsang
Dalny	Today	8 p.m.	Atlas Maru
Chefoo and Newchwang	Sep. 12	10.30 a.m.	Chengtu
Tsingtao & Dalny	Sep. 13	1.30 p.m.	Sakaki Maru
Antung	Sep. 13	10.30 a.m.	Hanyang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 14	8.30 a.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Sep. 15	11.30 a.m.	Sunning

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Kwanglee
Swatow	Today	9.30 a.m.	Chekiang
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Yusang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Lycaon
Swatow	Sep. 12	10.30 a.m.	Shansi
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 12	10.30 a.m.	Kanchow
Amoy	Sep. 13	10.30 a.m.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 13	11. a.m.	Sicilia
Amoy	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Liangchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	9.30 a.m.	Shidzuoka M.
Japan ports	Sep. 12	3 p.m.	Yamashiro M.
Germany, Ports	Sep. 14.	8 p.m.	A. Voegler
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Sep. 14.	8 p.m.	Kt. Templar
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Sep. 15	8 p.m.	Taiyo Maru
Japan ports	Sep. 16	8 p.m.	Kitano Maru
Japan ports	Sep. 17	8 p.m.	Kumano Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
I C	Aug. 21	Calabria	Ital. Gunboat
M C W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
U S N B	———	Craonne	Fr. Gunboat
O D W	Aug. 2	S. Carlotto	It. Gun-boat
F N B	Sep. 6	Foxglove	Br. Cruiser
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
O D W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gunboat

Steamers Departed

Sep. 9—Woosung for Hankow
Sep. 9—Yohyang M. for H'kow
Sep. 9-E. of Asia for Vancouver
Sep. 9-E. of Canada for Hongkong
Sep. 9—Kikin for Hankow
Sep. 9—Hakushin M. for T'tao
Sep. 9—Tsushima for Cruise
Sep. 9—Amagisan M. for Wuhu
Sep. 9—Esang for S. H. C'ton
Sep. 9-Hwahting for Chin'tao
Sep. 9—Toonan for Newchwang
Sep. 9—6 U. S. Destroyers for Hankow
Sep. 9—Yungho for Tsingtao
Sep. 9—Kwangse for Newchwang
Sep. 9—Shidzucka M. for S'tle
Sep. 9—Tahchee for Kobe
Sep. 9—Shinping for Tientsin
Sep. 9-Esther Dollar for N. Y.
Sep. 9—Fausang for W. C. T'tsin
Sep. 10—Kiangteen for Hankow
Sep. 10—Liuhsing for Cruise
Sep. 10—C. Legien for Japan
Sep. 10-Oldenburg for Japan
Sep. 10—Rosandra for Japan
Sep. 10—Canton for Japan
Sep. 10—Hanping for Hankow
Sep. 10—Gokensan M. for N. Customs
Sep. 10—Yungshin for Ningpo
Sep. 10—H. Peking for Ningpo

Steamers Arrived

Sep. 9—Yungshin from Ningpo
Sep. 9—H. Peking from Ningpo
Sep. 9—Daiya Maru from Wuhu
Sep. 9-Lycaon from Kobe
Sep. 9—Kungwo from Hankow
Sep. 9—Kiangyu from Hankow
Sep. 9—Luenyi from Hankow
Sep. 9-Meian from Hankow
Sep. 9—C. of Lincoln from H'kow
Sep. 9—Hsinwah from Chefoo
Sep. 9—P. Grant from Hongkong
Sep. 9—Chekiang from Tsingtao
Sep. 10—Tungshing from H'kong
Sep. 10—Koan M. from Japan
Sep. 10—Atlas from Keelung
Sep. 10—Fukien from .....
Sep. 10—Shuntien from Tientsin
Sep. 10-Shansi from Swatow
Sep. 10—Ningshao from Hankow
Sep. 10—Wuchang from Hankow
Sep. 10Fengyang M. from H'kow
Sep. 10—Kiangfoo from Hankow
Sep. 10—C. P. Lecocq from Europe
Sep. 10—Childar from C'tao
Sep. 10—Tingsang from Tientsin
Sep. 10—Irene from Foochow
Sep. 10-Yusang from Tsingtao
Sep. 10—Kanchow from H'kong
Sep. 10—Kwangping from C'tao
Sep. 10—Daishin M. from .....

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Japanese Government Still Functions At Quake-Stricken Tokio

Apart From Sea And Air Capital Has Practically No Means Of Communication With Remainder Of Japan

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 8, 6:30 p.m.—Reuter's special correspondent, states that, in spite of reports to the contrary prevalent in China, the Government continues to function not from Osaka but from Tokio. Precisely where it is functioning there is not known at Osaka. Apart from sea and aeroplane there is practically no communication with the capital.

All estimates of the value of the damage and the number of victims are highly speculative, but, from all accounts, the figures 150,000 killed and double that number injured in Yokohama and Tokio combined are probably not far off the mark. The latest official estimate of the homeless in Tokio alone is 1,350,000 and in Yokohama 400,000.

The correspondent says that he finds that some of the earlier wireless reports as to the amount of the destruction are not quite correct. For example, the Imperial University was not wholly destroyed, and that architecturally unique structure, the Imperial Hotel, is still standing.

In the great conflagration succeeding the earthquake, apart from the losses of public buildings, numerous priceless art collections were obliterated. The fate of Dr. Morrison's famous library, which Baron Iwasaki presented to the Imperial University, is not known. It, as is believed, it was still being classified at Baron Iwasaki's Tokio house, then it has probably been destroyed by the fire which gutted that fine new residence.

There are various theories as to the precise cause of the catastrophe. The Central Observatory in Tokio has just announced that the first earthquake on Saturday originated in a landslip under the sea, half way between Atami Hot spring and Oshima Island, off the coast of the Idzu Peninsula. (Incidentally the same Observatory states that the islands off the Idzu Peninsula are a present showing signs of eruption. Professor Nakamura, of the Imperial Observatory, is hurrying thither on board a destroyer to make observations).

On the other hand the chief of the Osaka Observatory thinks that the first shock was due to the construction of the earth's crust practically in the center of the Tokio district, at the same place where it contracted with such disastrous consequences in 1856. Another theory is that the whole series of earthquakes was due to the volcanic activity of what is known as the "volcanic range of mountains," including Mount Fuji, Hakone and the Idzu Peninsula group.

The shape of Mount Fuji has changed, a fact not observable till today owing to its having been in the clouds since the earthquake.

The area of Tokio swept by the fire, which destroyed over 300,000 houses and public buildings, includes: (where nearly every structure was destroyed) Fukagawa, Honjo, Asakusa (where the famous Kwannon Temple alone remains standing), Shitaya, Nihonbashi, Kanda, Kyobashi (the Hama Imperial Villa was not destroyed) and Shiba; (partially destroyed) Akasaka, Kojimachi and Hongo; and (slightly damaged) Yotsuya, Azabu, Ushigome and Koishigawa.

What effect the moratorium in Tokio will have upon the money market in Osaka and elsewhere is keenly discussed in business circles.

At present the Osaka and Kobe money market is tight but undisturbed. There are some who advocate the application of the moratorium outside the zone of the disaster, but Osaka bankers think this unnecessary.

Business in foreign exchanges has been practically at a standstill since the earthquake. In view of the necessity of importing material and machinery, etc., there is a great demand for pounds sterling and dollars.

A demoralisation of prices marked the opening of the Osaka Stock Exchange today, especially as regards cottonspinning shares owing to the great destruction of mills. The cotton yarn market is firm. Copper, if anything, is going up.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Sept. 7.—According to the latest report gathered at the Metropolitan Police Headquarters, 71 percent of Tokio's houses and buildings have been damaged, burned or destroyed and 67 percent of Tokio's population are affected.

Baron Sumitomo has contributed 2,500,000 yen, Mr. Yasuda 2,000,000 yen and Baron Okura 1,000,000 yen.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 10.—One of Reuter's Correspondents who has arrived in Osaka from Tokio reports that, with the exception of the Home Office and the Finance Department, nearly all the official buildings escaped the flames. The following are still standing, though they are badly shaken and in some cases uninhabitable: the Foreign Office, the General Staff Office, the Navy Department, the Diet buildings, and the Russian, Italian, Belgian and German Embassies. The American, French and Chinese were the only Embassies burned. The British Embassy building is uninhabitable, but the only house actually burned at the Embassy was that of the Japanese Counselor. The Tokio Central Station is still standing, and also all the big buildings flanking it on both sides in the commercial quarters generally known as Marunouchi.

An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that in an interview with press representatives, Mr. Nagaia, Mayor of Tokio City, stated to the following effect: The first stage of undertakings following the disaster has already started and it has been decided that the second stage will be commenced as from the 10th instant. The fundamental policy for these undertakings is expected to be definitely decided upon before long.

The Tokio Municipality wishes first of all to take into consideration marine transportation and to proceed with such works as a preliminary step towards the construction of a big harbor in Tokio Bay by first reconstructing the vicinity of the Yeitai Bridge and the lower reaches of the Sumida River. Taking the advantage of the recent conflagration, the Tokio Municipality has a plan under consideration of constructing wide thoroughfares throughout the capital with a large park in its middle. As for the restoration of Tokio, aid from the national treasury is expected. If, therefore, fire insurance of the Tokio Municipality should be paid, I feel convinced that the reconstruction of the capital will be carried through sooner than is generally expected.

An "Asahi" despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports: Intelligent classes of Kyoto, Osaka, and Kobe are now strongly insisting upon the transfer of the seat of government. In this connection, Viscount Goto, Minister of Home Affairs, states that with regard to the scheme for the restoration of Tokio and Yokohama, arrangements have already been made in order that a concrete plan may be made public in a few days, and adds that the argument for the transfer of the capital of Japan is naturally without any foundation. In contrast to this, Viscount Goto declares, the Government has a firm resolution to do everything within its power to prevent the capital from being transferred to the Kwansai district.

(Reuter's Service)

Osaka, Sept. 7: 7:50 p.m.—The people are watching with the keenest interest the outcome of the deliberations on the plan for reconstruction of the Empire's capital.

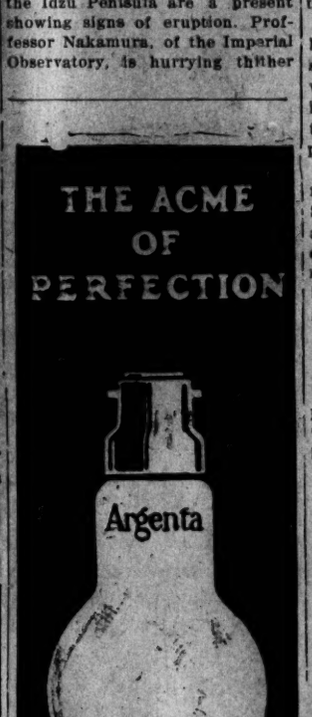
The new Home Minister has made a great study of city planning, while the Mayor of Tokio, it is hoped, will find a satisfactory solution.

It is understood that the experts of the Home Department have already decided on a general plan which they will shortly make public.

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports that Mr. Inouye, Minister of Finance, has made the following statement:

As for the reconstruction of the City of Tokio, it is best to let each big firm or public body take some emergency measures. Even large buildings can be constructed with insurance to be paid by the fire insurance companies concerned, which should hold their responsibility in high esteem. The powers-that-be are determined to take proper steps after ascertaining the real intention of all the parties concerned.

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—An Asahi despatch to the Eastern News Agency says: On September 7 at 9.30 p.m., several leading businessmen such as Viscount Shibusawa, Messrs. Takuma Dan, Toyoji Wada, and Shintaro Ohashi had an interview with Mr. Inouye, Minister of Finance, at the official residence of the Premier, Count Yamamoto, when views were exchanged concerning the plan for the restoration of Great Tokio.



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Food Supply Now Assured; Housing Still A Problem

Remarkable Improvement Is Made In Japan After One Week Of Supreme Effort Toward Alleviating Suffering

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Nagasaki, Sept. 8: 9.00 p.m.—Reuter's special correspondent telegraphs from Osaka that after one week of supreme effort throughout the country conditions in Tokio show a remarkable improvement. A supply of enough food to go round among the victims is now practically assured. Clothing is still wanted, especially in view of the cold weather coming. The great problem yet to be solved is the housing of millions of homeless persons. This is particularly pressing because the rainfall is very frequent in Japan.

The exodus from Tokio by rail and sea is numbered by thousands every day to seek shelter with friends and relatives in the unaffected zone, but it is believed that barracks must be built in Tokio for the million who are homeless.

Martial law continues in Tokio and Yokohama and the surrounding district, and peace and order are well maintained.

Since the complete dislocation of railway traffic and telegraph and telephone communications on Saturday at noon, workmen and military engineers have been working day and night, determined to set the wheels going, though haltingly it may be. As a result of their labors, traffic between Yokohama and Tokio has been resumed.

A journey from a suburb of Tokio to Osaka by rail is now possible, taking 24 hours, though accomodation is very limited. Three telegraph lines between Tokio and Osaka have been opened, handling only very important official and press messages and victims' telegrams.

Telephone communications have also been established. Calls put in from Reuter's Tokio correspondent at the Imperial Hotel with Osaka were connected in three minutes today for the first time since the disaster. Some parts of Tokio have already a water-supply and electric lights.

Chinese Refugees Will Be Sent Home

(Eastern News Agency)

An Osaka "Mainichi" special despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports: Of the three thousand Chinese refugees, who arrived in Kobe up to September 8, three hundred have already left for Shanghai on board the s.s. Empress of Canada and inasmuch as a majority of the rest have a desire to return home, they are expected to be sent back by the s.s. Nansan of Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. at no distant date.

(Eastern News Agency)

An "Asahi" despatch to the Eastern News Agency states that the O. S. K. Shipping Company has decided to transport Chinese refugees without charge and as a result, 500 Chinese refugees are returning to Shanghai today on board the O. S. K. boat, Chicago Maru, and another 500 by the s.s. Arizona Maru of the same company on the 16th instant.

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The main eulogy was read by Mr. Sheng Tso-shu, president of the Chinese Bankers' Association, while speeches on the life and works of the late president were also given by Mr. Lo Pah-hung, representing all Chinese Catholic Societies; Dr. Chen Ching-yung, representing all Protestant Churches; Mr. C. T. Sun, representing the International Famine Relief Committee; and Mr. Wang I-ting, representing all Shanghai benevolent institutes.

Consul-in-Charge J. P. Davis responded. A three-minute silent prayer concluded the program.

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